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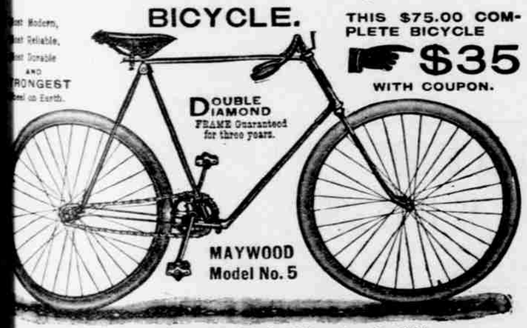

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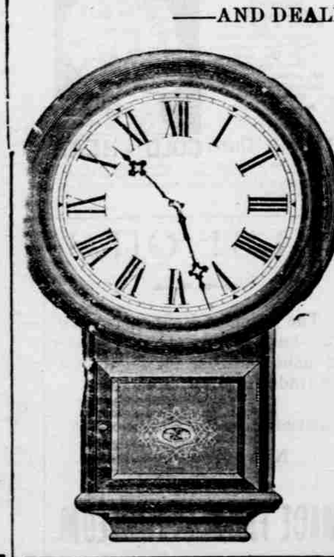

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This Is Said of Icelanders Who Have Settled in Dakota.

They Are a Hardy and Cheerful People and Are Noted for Their Honesty and Faithfulness—Easily Americanized.

There is here a large Icelandic population, says a Milton (N. D.) communication. No other people who have come to this country are better equipped to become citizens. The first settlements were made by the Scandinavians, principally Norwegians.

The Icelanders are, as we see them here, the most frugal and industrious people in the world. They never fail to utilize everything of value in life, from the shortest straw to the latest minute of time. They are at work always, all of them, from the baby just out of the cradle to the withered and hobbling great-grandfather. Every family makes sure that its own necessities are provided for. Each keeps a few sheep, some pigs, an abundance of hens, at least one or two cows, etc., but nothing that consumes without producing something in return. Most luxuries are new to them on their arrival, and they take to new articles, either of food or raiment, only when forced by their new surroundings to do so. They live within themselves, and always have something to sell—chickens, eggs, butter, mittens, socks, knit wammusses, leggins, hoods, yarns, cloth, ear tips, and, of course, farm products.

All work incessantly but moderately during daylight; and at night, while visiting as if they had just met after a long separation, knit, spin, weave, sew, work out rude implements, card wool, make butter and manufacture garments. Of course, the cloth for these garments is homemade. When something is absolutely needed from the store, the Icelander secures it by bartering an article of home manufacture—he never pays out money if it can be avoided.

The butter here is much like that common to old Iceland—that is, rancid. It is not the rancidity of the American buttermaker—where butter, sweet at first, has begun to spoil—but a peculiar sourness resulting from keeping the milk and cream until "fixed." It is very disagreeable to Americans at first, but it keeps far better than what we call "good" butter. Butter, according to the reports of the United States department of agriculture, is of the highest form, bulk for bulk, of nutriment. The Icelanders seem to have known this always, and, although their "bootah" is strong enough to drive a dog out of a tanyard, it is just as nutritious as the "gilt-edged creamery" of their Yankee neighbors, and costs less in labor before and less in care after making.

There is absolutely no picture in American life carrying so perfect an idea of domestic contentment and happiness as one may see in any ordinary Icelandic home. They are frank, cheerful and kind—never noisy—and have no vaulting ambitions, no false pride, no false modesty. This utter lack of prudery may account for their virtue and, in part, for their simple happiness.

The Icelander has no complex theories or philosophy. He thinks the first man was an Icelander and was born in Iceland. He scouts the idea that the Norsemen discovered either America or his own bleak little mole in the arctic seas. He says he was always on the latter, and always knew about the former and about Greenland and Europe. He claims with pride that nothing good in the popular form of government is new with America, or that the United States is entitled to credit for the invention of a republic. He says he had a better republic than this for 400 years, and that a long thousand years in Iceland did not develop so many sins, crooks and forms of maladministration as a year in America.

All Icelanders, of course, are very hardy. They are troubled, at first, by the extreme heat of our summers, but finally become acclimated. They do not move about, and never return to Iceland. They become Americanized even more easily than the Norwegians, if that is possible, and make reliable, peaceful citizens. The young women are the most kindly, faithful and quiet servants procurable, and all of them are honest.—N. Y. Times.

VENDETTAS IN SICILY.

Still Prevalent, and the Slightest Trifle Brings Them On.

In Sicily, young men who are eligible partis have to exercise extreme care in their demeanor toward young unmarried ladies. To dance with them so often as to be remarked, to attempt to talk to them alone, is, to use the ingenious expression of an Italian friend of mine, expected to make you their future-in-law. In the lower classes, says the New York Mercury, a vendetta results if a man pays attention to an unmarried girl without marrying her. Vendettas are quite prevalent still. I heard a characteristic and rather amusing story about one the other day. A gentleman's coachman did his part in a vendetta and was sent to prison for a term—there being no capital punishment in Sicily. His master went to visit him in prison, and asked if he could do anything for him. "Yes, signor; if you will pay half a franc a day for me I can have a better room and better food, and a shave." He attached most importance to the shave. If a man sees his brother being murdered, not more than anyone else in the crowd will he do anything to bring the offender to justice. He may not even interfere. But he will take it upon himself as a sacred duty to kill the murderer whenever he has him at his mercy.

A Free Press in Austria.

Austria's new ministry has sent a circular to all public prosecutors reminding them that the freedom of the press is guaranteed by the constitution, and warning them that the illegal practice of confiscating newspapers, on the ground that they incite to hatred and contempt, will no longer be tolerated.

A Lawyer's Confession.

A famous advocate confessed himself: "I am never so happy as when I am defending a prisoner I know to be guilty; for if he is convicted, he will get his deserts; and if I get him off, it will be a tribute to my skill."

FIGHTING MOTHS IN CARPETS.

Liquids Which Are Repugnant to the Destroyer of Woven Goods.

Carpets were never cheaper nor better than now, but until times are better we shall have to take care of our old carpets. The moth is the great enemy to be fought and defeated. There are efficacious remedies. One is to steep one-fourth of a pound of cayenne pepper in one gallon of water, then adding two drachms of strychnia powder. Strain and pour this into a shallow vessel, such as a large tinned-iron milk pan. Roll the carpet up and set each end alternately in this mixture for ten minutes, or long enough to insure the saturation of its edges for about an inch. Do this after beating the carpet. The ends should likewise be treated. Be sure the carpet is dry before tacking down, as the wet poison might injure the fingers while tacking. When done with the liquid throw where it possibly cannot harm anybody, or bottle and label for future use, marking it "Carpet moth poison." This preparation will not stain the carpet nor corrode metals in contact with the carpet.

Another mixture calls for one pound of quassia chips, one-fourth of a pound of cayenne pepper, steeped in two gallons of water, strained and used as above.

When the carpet to be treated is not to be taken up, spray ends, edges, margins and corners with the atomizer. Perhaps two or three applications might be better than one with the atomizer.

The carpet moth loves the bindings and margins of a carpet. Ingrains or three-plys may be treated successfully while down by wringing a cloth out of hot water, laying it over the bindings and edges and ironing with a hot iron. This will destroy both moth and eggs. This method is not effectual with moquettes or other heavy carpets, as the heat will not sufficiently penetrate them, besides which, ironing injures the pile of velvets; still, the tacks can be drawn occasionally and the carpet laid over on its edge, one side at a time, and steamed on the wrong side. Then wipe the floor under the carpet as far as the arm can reach with hot cayenne tea. Also wipe the edge and bindings of carpet with a hot rag, rubbing hard before renailing. Some recommend sprinkling salt around the sides of the room before nailing down the sides of the carpet, but this seems wrong, because the salt will surely attract too much moisture.

Be on the lookout for the Buffalo carpet beetle as early in the year as February and March. Look out for them on the windows and window sills, and over all woolen clothing not in frequent use. The moth has a special liking for red carpet. But the pest comes also later in the year, being sometimes brought into the house in flowers. It has a particular love for the blossoms of the spirea. It is a good plan, where the moths are unusually bad to saturate the floor with benzine, or preferably, we think, with spirits of turpentine, which is not so inflamable nor volatile, and then lay newspapers down under the carpet. This prevents an attack from the underside. It is important to remember that the moth always abhors the light, which is death to the eggs and larvae, and is really the best thing with which to circumvent them.

Corrosive sublimate and alcohol in the proportions of 60 grains of the former to one pint of the latter is useful for treating the edges of the seams of the carpet where the pest is bad, but the poison is so deadly that great caution is required in its use, especially where babies are around.

The moths deposit their eggs in the early spring. This, therefore, is the season to put away furs and woolen goods for the summer. It is not the moth, but the larvae, that does the harm. Thoroughly beat the goods with a rattan and air them for several hours in the sunlight if possible. Wrap up in a newspaper perfectly tight. If this work is done properly there will be no need of an air-tight chest or cedar chest. Moths do not have any fear of cedar or moth balls, but they will not go through paper or cotton textiles. Indeed, a cotton bag or other wrapping is just as good as paper. Once a month take out the goods and examine them in the sunlight and give them a good beating. When the moths are not so bad, as in some seasons and localitions, this monthly inspection may not be necessary. But this is really the fur dealers' secret of preserving their stock. Camphor is bad for fur, as it impairs their beauty by turning them light. Camphor may be sprinkled among the woolens, but secure wrapping in paper or cotton is good enough. The above method may be used to preserve feathers also.—Good Housekeeping.

A Dismayed Hostess.

It was Miss Katie Rooney's first appearance as table girl when company had been invited to dinner, but it was company upon whom the mistress wished to make the best impression possible. Katie was overflowing with rollicking Irish spirits and humor, but it had been emphatically impressed upon her that she must curb these propensities during the progress of the dinner, and be the embodiment of quiet dignity. All went well until Katie went to remove the soup plates when she carelessly sent a stream of soup over the back of one of the gentlemen. Instead of manifesting the least dismay or chagrin, Katie clapped her free hand to her grinning mouth and said, with an indescribable chuckle, and in a hoarse but painfully distinct whisper to her mistress: "Ain't Oi a dandy, mum?" Then she shot out of the dining-room, giving utterance to a wild howl of rollicking laughter as she ran.—Detroit Free Press.

WISE SAYINGS.

The game of life looks cheerful when one carries in one's heart the unalienable treasure.—Coleridge.

Too many, through want of prudence, are golden apprentices, silver journeymen and copper masters.—Whitefield.

Mental pleasures never clog; unlike those of the body, they are increased by repetition, approved of by reflection, and strengthened by enjoyment.—Colton.

Order is the sanity of the mind, the health of the body, the peace of the city, the security of the state. As the beams to a house, as the bones to the microcosm of man, so is order to all things.—Southy.

A TERROR TO RATS.

An Odd Character of the Pacific Coast.

Like the Pied Piper of Hamelin He Wields a Strange Influence Over the Rodents—His Peculiar Business.

A queer counterpart of the Pied Piper of Hamelin has been visiting the seaports of the Pacific coast lately, driving or drawing hordes of rats from the ships at the wharves and occasionally from the warehouses and big hotels. He seems to have a strange influence over rats and readily tames and makes pets of strange rats. He is not a ratcatcher, for, while there is no doubt of the thoroughness with which he rids a ship or a house of rats, he does not catch them, nor does he care what becomes of them. He only undertakes to drive them away. More than this, he claims to be able to bring the rats back again, and it is said he has done this in two or three instances where a ship's captain has played him false, and, being rid of the rats, has failed to live up to his bargain with the rat charmer.

He is, or has been, a seafaring man. His name is Joe Peoples, though he is known along the wharves as Rough-on-Rats. Usually he has his pockets full of rats—not pets of long acquaintance, but ordinary rats which he has caught recently, and which he keeps to use in his peculiar business. He says there is no art about handling rats, and that they will not bite if properly handled, but either he exercises some strange power over the animals, or else he has learned a secret of handling them that is not likely to become common property. It is the same with a rat as with a nettle, he says. If you pick up a rat as though not afraid of it the animal will not bite; and if you place it back on the ground and let it run away of its own accord it will be equally harmless. But if, having gone so far as to get hold of a rat, you place it on the floor and draw your hand away sharply, the rat will, as likely as not, take a piece of your hand away with it. At any rate, this is part of Mr. People's peculiar theories.

How he drives out the rats he is willing to explain in part, but the main secret he naturally reserves. He selects a lively old rat, ties a little bell, like a sleigh bell, with wire around its neck, paints its back with phosphorus, then drenches it in some liquid not divulged, and turns it loose. The rat runs through all its accustomed haunts, but all its late comrades run ahead of it. They don't like its blazing back and its alarm bell. But more than anything else, Mr. Peoples says, they don't like the smell it brings with him.

Mr. Peoples' doctored rats smell like a whole cageful of ferrets. Rats particularly dislike ferrets, and never stop to investigate when there is the slightest suggestion of one being near. Ordinary rat catchers corroborate Mr. Peoples in this. The consequence is, and it is a consequence in fact as well as in logic, that the doctored rat drives every other rat before it, and where the doctored rat has once been no rat will venture afterward while the smell lasts, and Mr. Peoples guarantees the smell for one year. The unfortunate rat with the bell, its illuminated back, and its terrible smell, seeks its old friends in every hole and corner, and wherever it goes it is the last rat that will go there in a year. Mr. Peoples says he has frequently known rats to jump overboard from a ship in their efforts to escape from a doctored rat, and many witnesses bear him out in this statement. There is no question of his success in entirely clearing a number of ships and warehouses at Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Port Townsend and other ports on the coast which were formerly overrun with rats.

For his claim that he can bring back the rats there seems to be only Mr. Peoples' word. He names two or three ships plying up and down the coast on which he had played his second trick. The captains told him, after the rats had all left their ships, that they guessed he hadn't done much toward it and offered to compromise. Mr. Peoples says he just doctored half a dozen rats with a different kind of medicine and set them free on these ships, and scattered some of the same kind of stuff about the holds, and he avers that in a little while there will be four times as many rats on the ships as formerly, and he will charge four times as much to charm them away.—N. Y. Sun.

Polishing Wood.

Mahogany and all polished wood of any kind is apt to become very dull and tarnished, and the regular operation of rubbing it up is not one that is dear to the average maid, yet if it is allowed to go too long uncared for, the trouble of reviving it is endless. The best and easiest way of polishing wood is to make a "dolly" of rags, finally tying it up tightly in a piece of soft flannel; this should be slightly sprinkled with linseed oil; over it tie a cloth rag on which put a few drops of spirits of wine; rub all the woodwork quickly with this prepared material, and polish quickly as you proceed with a soft silk or flannel rag. Both the oil and the spirit should be very sparingly applied, as they would otherwise moisten the wood too much and produce smears; but if the operation is briskly done, according to these instructions, no polish, however elaborate, will bring about the same brightness.—Detroit Free Press.

How Tides Predict Storms.

Fresh interest has recently been developed in the fact that West Indian hurricanes, and other great storms at sea, frequently produce a remarkable effect upon the tides along neighboring coasts. When a tempest is approaching, or passing out on the ocean, the tides are noticeably higher than usual, as if the water had been driven in a vast wave before the storm. The influence extends to a great distance from the cyclonic storm center, so that the possibility exists of foretelling the approach of a dangerous hurricane by means of indications furnished by tide gages situated far away from the place then occupied by the whirling winds. The fact that the tidal wave outstrips the advancing storm shows how extremely sensitive the surface of the sea is to the changes of pressure brought to bear upon it by the never-resting atmosphere.

BRONCHO BOB WAS SUSPECTED.

He Had Been Too Long Among Civilized People to Inspire Confidence.

A sojourn of over a month in the east had made Bronco Bob no less an object of suspicion among his old companions than he had been a lion during his visit. But a place was made for him at the card table, where the usual game of draw poker was in progress.

"Gimme a stack o' red chips," he said, carelessly.

He was accommodated and the game proceeded in silence.

"I don't see ez he talks no different," said Pluto Pete, in a whisper to the man next to him.

"Jist wait," said Three-Fingered Sam. "It'll come out sooner or later. He'll be takin' ginger ale on the side er sayin' 'eyether' jis' ter show off. An' ez soon ez he begins ter sling eny serciety aroun' here thur's goin' ter be trouble a foot thick. Whut'll yer hev ter drink?"

"Some red liquor," replied Bronco Bob, when his turn to speak came.

As they drew cards Three-Fingered Sam muttered:

"Wants nothin' but red chips an' calls fur red liquor. Seems ter me somebody's gettin' purty blamed hectic aroun' here."

Bronco Bob bet the limit, and when all the others had signified their intention to stay out Pluto Pete shoved in the requisite number of chips and queried:

"Whuteher got?"

"Nothin' much," was Bronco Bob's nonchalant reply. "Jest a red flush, all hearts."

Three-Fingered Sam had pulled his gun in a jiffy.

"Look here," he said, in a husky voice, "ye've bin mixin' weth the elight an' dawdlin' weth the cream delly cream, but yer might ez well understand thet ef yer settin' out ter start a four hundred in this settlement ye'll hev ter git along without the other 399."

"Whutcher mean?" asked Broncho Bob.

"Whut I mean is thet ef ye're tryin' ter ring in a pink tea unbeknownst we're dead onter ye an' we won't stand it."—Detroit Free Press.

SAVED HIS MONEY.

Sharp Tricks Played by an Arizona Lawyer on a Stage Robber.

While Tom Fitch, the orator and politician, was practicing law in Tombstone, A. T., he had occasion to visit Phoenix. On the way there the stage was held up by a lone highwayman, who not only robbed the mail and express box, but searched all of the passengers. The fellow found about $2,650 in the express box and Fitch lost $100, besides a gold watch and chain. While still in Phoenix the robber was captured, and hearing that Fitch was in town sent for him. Fitch's face appeared familiar, but the highwayman had forgotten where he had seen it, and Fitch said nothing about the matter.

"What will you defend me for?" he asked.

"Well, I'll tell you what I'll do," said Fitch. "I'll defend you for $500, but I'll agree to get you out and free on a writ of habeas corpus for $200."

"All right; it's a go."

The fellow told Fitch where his money was concealed, and the attorney found it. As soon as he had it safely stowed away in his gripsack he started home for Tombstone, and left the robber to take care of himself.

A couple of months later Fitch was nearly frightened out of his wits to see the robber walk into his office.

"I see you recognize me," said he, "but you needn't feel alarmed. You robbed me—"

"Yes, but you robbed me first," exclaimed Fitch. "I was on that stage."

"Well, I didn't come to reproach you for anything of the sort. I have escaped from jail, and all I want is money enough to get back to my old home in Pennsylvania, where I will lead an honest life."

"Why, certainly, my boy," declared Fitch. "Wait right here till I can go to the bank and get it."

Fitch returned a moment later with the sheriff and saved $100.—San Francisco Post.

A Queen's Scientific Experiments.

The king of Portugal and his entire court are rejoicing over the zeal and industry with which Queen Amelie is devoting herself to the study of the Roentgen light. Her majesty puts in all her time now in photographing King Carlos and the ladies and gentlemen of the court in order to discover what their skeletons are like. For several years the queen has been a rapt student of medicine, and in her enthusiastic pursuit of medical science and by her experiments has reduced some of her ladies in waiting almost to death's door. Now that the queen has a new hobby, the Portuguese court rejoices, especially the king, as the queen was always insisting upon his trying new methods discovered by herself for reducing his growing corpulency. It is even said that in consequence the king's gratitude to Roentgen the professor is to be invited to the court at Lisbon, and will receive a high decoration from his majesty.—Washington Times.

Vulgarizing Roentgen Rays.

Roentgen rays are becoming vulgarized rapidly. Prof. Brouardel, of the municipal laboratory of Paris has used them to find the contents of infernal machines, and has seen nails, screws, cartridges and even the grains of powder in a bomb. An Englishman asserts that he can tell pure claret from adulterated by the use of the rays. In Berlin they have been introduced in a new farce. An English photographer, who sent out a picture of a foot showing an imbedded needle, received a telegram from a customer, saying: "Photograms received very tame. Send more sensational ones, such as interior of belly, backbone, brains, liver, kidneys, heart, lungs, soul."—N. Y. Sun.

High Waterworks.

The highest system of waterworks in the world is to be conducted this spring in Altman, Col. The altitude is about 11,000 feet. Work was begun recently. The main pumping station will be located at Grassy, a mile and a half below and 1,000 feet lower than Altman. A second station will be placed 750 feet higher than the first, and will throw the water into tanks above the town. The water is for domestic use and for fire purposes.—Chicago Inter Ocean.

Cambria Freeman.

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FRIDAY, - - - - JUNE 26, 1896.

BENJAMIN H. BRISTOW, the well-known lawyer and secretary of the treasury during President Grant's second term, died at his home in New York on Monday of peritonitis. Mr. Bristow was taken ill on last Saturday. He was born in Kentucky and was 64 years of age.

Now the Republicans say their party "never had a deficit in time of peace." If Secretary Foster could be induced to tell the truth, what an uproar it would make in the Republican camp, where every man knows the Harrison administration left a deficit and hid it by covering certain special funds into the treasury. That is an unchangeable part of Republican history.

THERE is a significant contrast between the action of Senator Teller, who has severed his relation with his party because he could not agree with its position on the silver question, and with that of Mr. McKinley, who will accept the nomination for the presidency on a platform which he sought to defeat. Who shall say that the contrast is to the disadvantage of the Colorado senator?

APPARENTLY the predictions that this would be a year dangerous to human life are being verified. Following all the disasters that have gone before are the sinking of a steamship, with three hundred persons on board, and a series of earthquakes destroying a thousand lives in Japan. Really, with the St. Louis convention nominating McKinley the horrors of the year are growing in intensity.

UP to the year 1873, when the coinage of the silver dollar was abandoned, the United States mints had only coined about $8,000,000 in 81 years. Since 1878 the mints in this country have coined $423,289,309 and have bought $156,000,000 worth of silver bullion which is stored in the Treasury vaults. And yet the friends of cheap money denounce the government as the enemy of silver!

SECRETARY CARLISLE'S four sockdolagers:

First. There is not a free-coinage country in the world to-day that is not on a silver basis.

Second. There is not a gold standard country in the world to-day that does not use silver as money along with gold.

Third. There is not a silver standard country in the world to-day that uses any gold as money along with siller.

Fourth. There is not a silver standard country in the world to-day that has more than one-third as much money in circulation per capita as the United States have.

THE Democratic party, says the Baltimore *Sun* is not without a fair chance of success in the coming election if it remains true to its own traditions and principles, and stands fast by the splendid record on this all-important money question which its own administration has made for it. And in any case, whether it wins or looses in the coming contest, it will stand infinitely better for the future if it leaves populism to the Populists and free silver to the free silverites, and remains intrenched upon the impregnable vantage ground of fidelity to the cause of honest money, national solvency and honor and commercial common-sense.

THE Republican platform declares opposition to "domestic monopoly;" and it then proceeds to demand high protective duties for the sugar trust, the steel trust and all the rest of the monopolies that seek to despoil American consumers. This particular resolution against domestic monopolies is designed as a hint to the trusts not to be backward in coming forward with contributions of campaign funds. Trusts that shall prove refractory will readily understand that there is a way of dropping them when it comes to a revision of the tairff. The St. Louis platform declares that "we are not pledged to any particular schedule," which means that the trusts and monopolies which shall prove the most liberal will meet with the most favor.

GENERAL PORFIRIO Diaz has just been nominated for the presidency of Mexico for the fifth cousecutive term; and inasmuch as his election will not be opposed, the presidential succession to the Republic across the Rio-Grande has practically been settled for another four years. One-man power is so contrary to the genius of Democratic institutions that to call a state governed as in Mexico a Republic involves a contradiction of terms. The condition of the country under the enlightened rule of Diaz has been so much improved, however, and a practical dictatorship seems to be so well adapted to the wants of Mexico, that the continuation of the present insumbent in the presidential office really gives cause for congratulation.

WILLIAM MCKINLEY, of Ohio, for president, and Garrett A. Hobart, of New Jersey, for vice president, is the ticket nominated by the Republican national convention in session at St. Louis on Thursday of last week. Both nominations were made on first ballot. The vote on president was as follows: McKinley, 661½; Reed, 84½; Quay, 61½; Morton, 58; Allison 35½; Cameron, 1. There were a number of names presented for vice president, but Hobart won easily.

The convention declared for the gold standard, the financial plank being adopted by a vote 812½ to 110½. About orty silver delegates withdrew from the convention with senators Teller and Du-Bois. The convention adjourned sine die at 7:50 Thursday evening.

PROFESSOR HAMILTON, deputy secretary of agriculture, is collecting facts relating to the system of public roads in this state with a view of suggesting measures that will lead to their permanent improvement, and at the same time avoid the great expense that has been heretofore regarded as necessary by engineers and experts.

He proposes, first of all, to secure the names of all the road supervisors in Pennsylvania, and afterward send to them such information and advice as will explain the methods that have been found successful and economical elsewhere, in the hope that at least some of those measures may be applicable to their districts and may be put into operation. He believes the roads of this state can be improved and put in good condition with the present tax if it is properly expended, and in districts where stones are easily obtainable that turnpike roads, ballasted seven feet wide and six inches deep with finely broken stone, can be built for less than $500 a mile. He gives the items of the cost and the method of construction.

Blank forms have been sent out by Professor Hamilton to all the commissioners' offices in the state requesting complete lists of the supervisors. Nearly one-half of the counties have already responded. Many of the officials have written expressing their desire to co-operate in this reform.

THE three great states of Ohio, Indiana and New York on Wednesday held their Democratic conventions to elect delegates to Chicago. In New York everything was for sound money, although the silver men made a showing of strength. Senator Hill heads the Chicago delegation, with other prominent Democrats of the state as his associates. In Ohio the free coinage wing scored a decided victory, the vote on platform standing 542 for free coinage to 128 against. General A. J. Warner, well known in western Pennsylvania, was permanent chairman of the convention, and the selection was notable from the fact that of late years, because of his opposition to the financial policy of the Cleveland administration, General Warner has not acted with the Democratic party. In Indiana the silverites had more than two-thirds of a convention composed of over 1,600 delegates, who were practically unanimous for Governor Matthews as the candidate for president. Senator Voorhees and Turpie head the delegates to Chicago. The three states elect 152 delegates to the national convention, of whom 76 are for free silver and 76 for free coinage with international arrangement only.

THERE was a report current in New York on Monday on fairly good authority that religious services were omitted on some of the vessels in the Brooklyn Navy Yard on Sunday because of the crews being at work, and that at least two vessels were being prepared to start at once for immediate services in Cuban waters. One of the vessels in question is said to be the armored cruiser New York.

As it is a rule not to omit religious services on Sunday, except in cases where emergencies prevent the omission is regarded as significant. All day on Sunday the men on the vessels and employes in the navy yard were busy in the preparations. There was little, if any, Sunday rest for anyone.

The situation at the navy yard, taken in connection with the statement that General Lee has made an official statement to the Washington authorities of the condition of affairs in Cuba, lends much importance to the very unusual goings-on at the Brooklyn Navy Yard. It is very probable, the officers in the yard think, that immediate steps are to be taken to protect United States citizens in Cuba.

THE Harrisburg *Patriot* says State Treasurer Haywood will begin Monday to pay out the school appropriation for the fiscal year ending the first Monday of next June. The money will be paid out at the rate of $100,000 per week. Last year the appropriation was distributed among the several school districts at the rate of $200,000 a week. The balance in the general fund of the state treasury at present is over $1,500,000 less than at the same time last year. This is due to a large decrease in the state receipts. The department of public instruction will issue warrants to the smaller districts and those pressed the hardest for money before the larger districts are paid. A few of the smaller districts have already received their share. Philadelphia has asked for an installment of $100,000, but it will have to wait awhile. The payments at the state treasury are heavy just now as the various state institutions and the judges are being paid their quarterly amounts. The state treasury expects to be able to pay $200,000 a week of the school appropriation after next month.

WHILE at the St. Louis convention Senator Quay is reported to have announced a number of changes that will be made in legislation at the next session of the Pennsylvania legislature. It is said he proposes to have the Brooks' liquor law abolished and a modified Raines' law adopted. He would have excise commissioners appointed by the governor and these instead of the judges would grant licenses. Regular hours for opening and closing are to be fixed. Quay also proposes to make the Baker ballot law apply to primaries. An important change proposed is that no voter can have assistance in the booth under any conditions.

The people of Cambria would welcome as a great relief any change in the mode of granting of licenses.

AN object lesson on the financial question was given by the Southern Finishing Mills, and the Proximity and Hucomuga Cotton Mills, of Greensboro, N. C., when on Saturday they paid their employes in Mexican silver dollars, at the rate of two for one.

Washington Letter.

Washington, June 23th, 1896.—President Cleveland's letter stating that he, "as an unflinching Democrat who has been honored by his party and who desires hereafter no greater political privilege than to occupy the place of private in its ranks," could not have been surprising to readers of this correspondence, in which it was positively stated, by authority, many months ago that President Cleveland was not and would not be a candidate before the Chicago convention, and that he would whenever he deemed such action desirable write a letter to that effect. What was stated then has now come to pass. That letter has been written. It was not surprising, either, in view of Mr. Cleveland's consistent opposition to silver, that he should have used that letter to make a fresh attack upon the free coinage of silver. There is a very decided difference of opinion among Democrats as to what, if any, effect the president's letter will have upon the Chicago convention, and only time will tell which are right. Republicans say they will use the letter as a campaign document if the Chicago convention adopts a free silver platform.

Secretary Lamont probably talks as little to the public ear as any man in public life, but he has a way of accomplishing what he starts out to do that many more talkative men lack. When Secretary Lamont wrote a letter opposing the bill to revive the grade of Lt. General of the army in order that Gen. Miles might be promoted thereto, and giving the reasons for his opposition, many supposed that congress being anti-administration in both branches would pass the bill just because the administration didn't want it passed, but your Uncle Daniel knew better. If anybody will take the trouble to hunt it down that Miles bill will be found in a committee-room pigeon-hole, nicely covered with dust and cobweby, and there it will probably remain. You couldn't persuade Secretary Lamont to say a word about it now. He got what he wanted and that ends it with him.

Representative Amos Cummings is admittedly an authority on N. Y. politics. While in Washington this week he said: "I am sanguine that New York will go Democratic this year, it matters not what the Chicago convention does on the financial question. The people of New York state are thoroughly disgusted with the reform administrations that have produced the Raines bill and other monstrosities of legislation. They are mad all the way through and 90 per cent of them are more interested in turning down a party that encroaches on their liberties and brings back an era of blue law and puritanism than in the platform of a national convention."

Mr. W. G. Conrad, a banker and cattleman, of Montana, and a good Democrat, says of the political situation in that state: "The Democrats can carry the state for a silver candidate for the presidency, and if they combine with the populists, which they paobably will, they can elect the governor easily. They might carry the legislature, too, but that would not be of supreme importance seeing that no U. S. Senator is to be chosen by that body. Governor Boies seems to be the favorite presidential candidate out our way; at least we hear more about him than of the rest. If he gets the nomination there is no doubt of his getting Montana's electoral vote."

Never was the result of a national convention received in Washington with more apathy than that of the one which has just been held at St. Louis. Of course, when one stops to think, that is not difficult to account for. People do not enthuse over the announcement of out and dried affair, and the only thing that was ever for a moment in doubt about that convention was who would be the candidate for vice president. Czar Reed remained in Washington to hear the news, and if he would only tell what he thinks about it—but he won't. Democrats do not regard the ticket nominated at St. Louis as a strong one. On the contrary, they think it would have been difficult for the convention to have picked out one that would have been weaker. Aside from the enmity of many of the Republican leaders because of the methods adopted by Mark Hanna, McKinley will fail to get the votes of many Republicans who regard him as a one-idea man. The bolt of silver Republicans because of the financial plank of the platform makes it doubtful whether McKinley can carry a single western state. In short, it is the opinion of the best informed Democrats that if the Democrats can't beat McKinley they could not beat anybody, and that the Republicans have added very largely to the chances for Democratic success. M.

Shoots His Wife Dead.

Pittsburg, June 19.—When the news that McKinley was nominated became known at Harmarville, last night, many of the male residents began to celebrate it by shooting off guns and revolvers. The town was in a great state of excitement when Joseph Toepfer borrowed a revolver to scare his wife. He snapped the trigger several times to shoot off any remaining cartridges. Then going home he rushed into his wife's presence, and, with a "hurrah for McKinley," flourished the revolver. The trigger fell, there was a puff of smoke and Mrs. Toepfer fell dead with a bullet in her brain. Toepfer was exonerated from blame.

Driven to Suicide by a Corn.

New York, June 21.—Joseph Haggerty, of Hoboken, N. J., two months ago, pared a corn on his left foot with his pocket knife. The corn grew worse and he had the toe amputated. Then blood poisooing set in and he was told that the leg would have to be amputated. To this Haggerty would not consent. He said he would rather lose his life than his leg. This morning he swallowed carbolic acic. He waited a while, but death did not come fast enough, and with his pocket knife he cut several deep gashes in his left wrist. Finally, he threw himself out of a window to the sidewalk. He died two hours later.

Catholic Home for Boys.

Philadelphia, June 21.—Fifty thousand people went up to Flatlands, near this city, to-day to witness the laying of the cornerstone of the great Catholic protectory for boys. Archbishop Ryan laid the stone and nearly a score of priests participated in the ceremonies. This protectory will be really a college where 1,000 boys can be accommodated. They will be taken from the poorer classes and educated free and will be taught the mechanical arts. The protectory has attached to it a fine large farm. The building and ground will cost $200,000.

A COLORED delegate from Mississippi at St. Louis, asked if all colored delegates from his state were for McKinley, replied: "Some of us is fo' McKinley; some fo' Reed; some fo' Allis'n and some fo' Sale.

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New York, June 20.—A steam boiler built for the New York Steam Heating Company, said to be the largest in the United States, arrived here today. The massive boiler weighs 50 tons. It is 50 feet long and about 40 feet in circumference. It can generate steam to furnish 1,000 horse power.

The Edgar Boiler Company, of Warren, Pa., took six months to construct it and it cost $12,000. It cost another $1,000 to have it taken to this city. A flat car capable of bearing 100 tons was constructed expressly for the purpose of conveying the giant boiler from Warren to Jersey City by way of the Pennsylvania Railroad. At Jersey City the boiler was transferred to a railroad float and it was conveyed to this city.

It took 40 horses to draw it from Forty-third street to Dey and Greenwich streets, where the steam heating concern is located. Buildings along the route shook as the truck rolled through the streets.

Lynched by the Wayside.

Birmingham, Ala., June 21.—While Mary, the 9-year-old daughter of Gwyn Puckett, a farmer living near Hartselle, was passing from the kitchen to her mother's room, across a porch, last night, she was seized by Leon Orr, a negro farm laborer, and carried away. She was found by the family nearly a mile away in an unconscious condition.

A posse was formed to pursue the negro. He was arrested and carried to Moulton jail. Fearing mob violence the sheriff hid Orr in the court house. The mob reached Moulton at 2 P. M. and found Orr. He was strapped to a horse's back and carried to the scene of his crime, 15 miles away, where the mob hung him to a tree and riddled his body with bullets.

The negro confessed before he was lynched. He begged for an opportunity to pray, and was granted one minute. The girl is said to be dying.

Tramps Kill Two Men.

St. Paul, June 20.—This morning John Paul and Jacob Hayes, of Wyoming, Minn., were murdered by unknown tramps, who also seriously injured Dr. Foster, of St Paul. Dr. Foster wanted to be driven across to Wyoming Mills, and Paul and Hayes were getting a team ready for him, when three tramps appeared and ordered them all to hold up their hands. Dr. Foster showed fight, and Paul and Hayes promptly came to his relief. The tramps fired one volley, Hayes and Paul both falling dead. After pounding Dr. Foster about the head, the murderers escaped, and officers are now hunting for them. Dr. Foster has been brought to this city and will probably recover.

An Expert Female Forger.

Lock Haven, June 19,—David Frazier was arrested here to-day for attempting to pass forged checks on merchants. He made a confession, saying he, George Irwin and a woman have passed checks in Potter county and at Elmira, Williamsport and other places under various aliases. The woman registered at hotels as Irwin's sister. She forged the checks and the men passed them. Irwin and the woman went to Baltimore, and Frazier was to operate in the towns west of Williamsport. All were to meet in Baltimore in a few days to swindle on a large scale. The woman was the treasurer and has several hundred dollars in her possession. Frazier served time in a New York prison several years ago for burglarly.

Blacklisted Men Sue.

Chicago June 22. Eighty railroad workmen have made affidavits and turned evidence in their possession into the hands of attorneys, and next Wednesday suits aggregating hundreds of thousands of dollars for damages will be filed in the Circuit and Superior courts against almost every railroad corporation having terminals or offices in Chicago. The railroad men assert that they were blacklisted by the railroads on account of their connection with the American railway Union strike of 1894, and their failure to secure employment under their own names after telling the truth concerning their acts and occupation at the time of the great boycott, they consider evidence of blacklisting. In many instances the refusal to employ will be used as evidence to prove a blacklisting conspiracy between the roads.

Fighting Chance for Gold.

New York, June 22.—William C. Whitney, in an interview to-day before he left for Albany, to attend a conference of New York Democratic leaders, said:

"The report that I said the Eastern Democrats were discouraged by the overwhelming majority of silver men that will be delegates to the Democratic national convention is untrue. We admit that the silver men will have almost a two-thirds majority in the convention, but we are inclined to believe that we may induce the silver men to recognize the importance of having a gold plank in the platform. We are more strongly than ever convinced that we have a fighting chance. The gold sentiment is growing stronger."

Heard His Own Funeral Sermon.

Portsmouth, O., June 22.—The funeral sermon of a living man, plain old Lorenzo Dow McKinney, at which he was present, was preached at Fallen Timbers, twenty miles from here, yesterday to an assembly of 8,000 people. It was in a primeval forest of giant oaks, campmeeting style. Rev. Forest Evans conducted the ceremonies. Just behind him sat the living Lorenzo Dow McKinney. A committee of eight venerable men, in lieu of pallbearers, conducted the subject to the platform. The text was "The time of my departure is now at hand." At the conclusion the congregation filed by, taking leave of the departed, tearfully shaking him by the hand.

Ten Thousand Lives Lost.

Yokohuma, June 19.—It is now estimated that 10,000 persons were drowned by the tidal wave on the island of Yesso, in the northern part of Japan, which accompanied a succession of frightful earthquakes, lasting about twenty hours. In addition to the town of Kumaishi, which was wholly destroyed, many other coast towns have been washed away entirely or in part.

VENEZUELA IS RIGHT.

Arrest of the British Official Entirely Proper.

ENGLAND NOT LIKELY TO PROTEST.

Surveyor Harrison Did Wrong In Going Into Disputed Territory—The Incident Not Likely to Result Seriously—The English Newspapers Violent.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—Sir Julian Pauncefote, the British ambassador, and Minister Andrade of Venezuela, have been negotiating of late upon the settlement of the Uruan affair, and incidentally toward opening negotiations on the boundary question proper. There have been delays due to the month or more taken in the transmission of mail to Caracas and return, so that thus far the negotiations have not proceeded beyond an introductory stage.

The arrest of Mr. Harrison, chief of the British surveying party on the British-Venezuela boundary, has not been communicated to the officials here. It appears to be conceded, however, that Harrison was in the wrong if the dispatches are correct in stating that he was on the west side of the Cuyuni river. Mr. Chamberlain, secretary of state for the colonies, laid down the Cuyuni as part of the provisional boundary, pending a settlement, so that it is said the British will not make the contentton that Harrison was right in proceeding beyond this provisional boundary. This views from the incident its serious aspect, as Harrison is not likely to be supported by the vigorous British protest that was at first anticipated.

A London special says: The Press association announces that the British foreign office is expected to take decided measures in regard to the arrest of Mr Harrison, the crown surveyor of British Guiana, by the Venezuelans.

The British newspapers comment on the matter in violent language.

SPANISH BUYING TRANSPORTS.

She Will Land 75,000 More Troops In Cuba.

PHILADELPHIA, June 24.—The announcement has been made in shipping circles that the Spanish government will use every effort to land in Cuba within the next few months 75,000 troops, and in order that this may be accomplished the Spaniards are buying up a number of smart steamships to be used as transports for the soldiers.

The famous Inman liner City of Richmond, which until lately ran on the line from New York to Southampton, has just been purchased by the Spanish government for the purpose of a transport ship and will within a short time leave Spain with over 4,000 troops for Havana.

She will make the round trip to Havana from Spain inside of four weeks, and will engage constantly in this work in conjunction with several other ships of similar construction, until the entire 75,000 troops are landed.

Democratic Nominees at Clearfield.

CLEARFIELD, June 24.—The Democratic county convention nominated the following: Assembly, F. G. Betts of Clearfield and E. C. Shields of Du-Bois; county treasurer, George Weaver, Clearfield; county commissioners, Delancey Waring of Morris township and George I. Thompson of Clearfield; county auditors, T. J. Cleary of Clearfield and J. A. Heckendorn of Karthaus township. The convention endorsed ex-Judge David L. Krebs for congress and W. A. Hagerty, the present incumbent, for county chairman.

Republican Nominees at Bellefonte.

BELLEFONTE, Pa., June 24.—At the Republican county convention here this ticket was named: Assembly, H. R. Curtin and P. E. Wormelsdorf; sheriff, A. V. Miller; treasurer, Harrison L. Kline; register, J. E. Rickard; recorder, G. W. Fisher; commissioners, Matthew Riddle and T. W. Fisher; coroner, Dr. M. J. Locke; auditors, G. G. Fink and J. D. Wagner. W. E. Gray was re-elected county chairman by acclamation. The ticket and platform adopted at St. Louis were endorsed.

100,000 More Troops For Cuba.

MADRID, June 24.—It is stated that the government has decided to send 100,000 additional troops to Cuba by the end of the present year.

The Weather.

Generally fair; fresh southeasterly winds.

NEWSAND OTHER NOTINGS.

—Queen Victoria, Sunday, entered upon the 60th year of her reign.

—Elmer, the two-year-old child of Samuel Burker, of Bloomfield Furnace, fell into a tub of scalding water and was fatally burned.

—The young man killed in the railroad yard at Altoona last week, has been identified as Daniel Saylor, of Fayetteville, Franklin county.

—Joseph Piezzol was found dead in a potato patch near Cincinnati, in which he had fallen asleep, from inhaling Paris green used to kill potato bugs.

—Senator Cannon and the other bolting delegates from the Republican national convention were tendered a great ovation on their arrival at Salt Lake City.

—By the derailment of a freight train near Kootenai Falls, Wash., cars containing twelve tramps were thrown into the river and the men went over the falls, none of them escaping.

—The dwelling house of John Walker, of Armstrong township, Indiana county, and all its contents were burned on Tuesday about noon. All the members of the family were away from home, and it is not known just how the fire originated. It was insured in the Armstrong Township Mutual.

—During a heavy thunderstorm on Monday afternoon, two boys by the names of Barnes and Frazer, of Markleysburg, Fayette county, were struck by lightning and the latter was instantly killed. They were picking cherries at the time and were in the tree when it was struck. Barnes may recover.

The Biggest Fool at Large.

Is the individual who persistently neglects his health, and the means of preserving and restoring it. Many persons who are not constitutional idiots do this. They are genuine objects of compassion as well as censure. A failure of appetite, loss of sleep and flesh, impaired digestion, an uncertain condition of the bowels and symptoms of billiousness are so many warnings of the approach of disease. To disregard them is abject folly, which offended nature in due time punishes severely, if not fatally. That genuine and thoroughly reliable preventive of bodily mischief in the shape of chronic disease, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, will, if resorted to in time, avert those disorders, to the removal of which it is also fully adequate. Among these are chronic indigestion, liver complaint, kidney troubles, constipation, nervousness, rheumatism and malaria.

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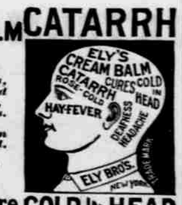

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DAY, - - - JUNE 26, 1896.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Catharine McGovern, of Wilmore, granted a pension.

James B. Zahm, of Pittsburg, is friends in Ebensburg.

F. C. Snyder, of Vetera, spent a in town on Tuesday.

Deveraux, of Cresson, spent a few Ebensburg on Thursday.

Thomas Condon, of Gallitzin, was to Ebensburg on Monday.

H. J. Hopple, of Barr township, few hours in town on Monday.

feet of lumber lie scat- Williamsport and Clearfield.

Henry Krumenaucker, of Barr was a visitor to Ebensburg on

The morning services of the Con- church in this place, will take Sunday.

$200 was pledged last Sunday a for the erection of a Presbyterian Bairnesboro.

Cook, the little son of B. W. Hollwood, was struck by cars on and instantly killed.

felling a tree near Allen's Mills, county, George Moore was the head and killed.

those who have taken to the bi- manufacturer is the only one not done so for his health.

charged Dr. King's entertainment Opera House. Tickets for sale drug store. Admission 25 cents.

Supt. Superintendent Gibson, who Indiana attending the examinations Indiana Normal, returned home on day.

Bell promised Blair county of- light sentences who should confess. prisoners immediately acknowl their guilt.

acquittal of David Berkey, of manslaughter, Somerset county, who robbed by two robbers on the morn- ust 3, is growing worse.

James A. Haiman and wife, of burg, accompanied by Mr. Morgan and Miss Jennie Freil, of the same visited Ebensburg on Monday.

legal business will be attended to attorneys of the Armstrong county during the time intervening between and July 25, both days included.

W. Clark, former editor and propri- the late Johnstown *Daily Times*, night to jail on Saturday to an- charges of obtaining money by

rear-end collision occurred at Ehren- Friday morning about five o'clock empty engine ran into the rear freight train and demolished four freight cars.

congregation of St. Thomas' church, will celebrate the Fourth of Beauty Mines with a picnic, bas- dancing and a big dinner. Pro- Maitland's orchestra will furnish

Ladies Exchange of the Christain will offer for sale as usual at the of Mrs. Jacob Squires, in the Saturday, June 27th, from 2 bread, pies, cakes, cold meats, ats, etc.

game of ball, the first of a series of games, between the Ebensburg and Teams, was played on the Fair on Saturday and resulted in a for the Patton team by a score of

Steel, of Johnstown, aged seven- removing the cartridges from rifle on Sunday evening, accident- himself, the bullet entering his above the elbow. The wound

W. H. Wilkinson, a merchant of Pa., while riding on his wheel days ago was thrown over an by the slippery roads. He unconscious until Saturday even- he died.

o'clock on Monday after- engine used on the railroad Portage blew up. The engine was hurt.

Geist, whose home was at Gal- he leaves a wife and three died at the almshouse on nervous trouble, aged about His remains were interred in cemetery.

year-old daughter of Mr. and Dolard, of Conemaugh fell into a spring near their last week and when dis- she was extinct. The water was deep.

under the auspices of St. church, Wilmore, will be Maple Grove, near that place, on dinner, supper, dancing and all prizes will furnish enjoyment and to those who attend.

unusually severe hail and rain passed over the country about on Sunday afternoon, doing to grain and fruit. The forest the ground. All the lower fields were flooded.

annual summer meeting of the Press Editorial association will be Atlantic City, June 29th to July business meeting will be held in the of the Grand Atlantic Hotel on afternoon at two o'clock.

B. P. S. C. E., of the Christain will hold an ice cream festival on evening and Saturday afternoon next, July 3d and 4th, in the store- next to Thompson's grocery store. and take your friends along.

Frank Yeager, of Patton, and Miss Rothman, of Hastings, were mar- the Sacred Heart church, Altoona afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock by Rev. P. Smith. They were attended altar by Mr. Henry and Gertrude

Pennsylvania railroad is storing along its Middle division in very numbers. A number have been used as Aqueduct and it is estimated are over 1,000 on the division orders say this storing of cars is an sign of a dull summer.

Kate Eyler, a waitress at the Hotel, Greensburg, is one of to a large estate, left by an uncle many. Miss Elyer when informed good fortune dropped a tray, laden dishes and eatables, upon the floor are will be about $100,000.

Star Spangled" Spangler, of Carlisle, who brought into notoriety by a in the religious garb bill in the of representatives two years ago, for reelection as an independent ate. He was defeated for renomi- recently by the Cumberland coun- Republicans.

Nettie M. Stineman, daughter of C. Stineman, and Dr. George An- Slick, of Johnstown, were married Monday evening at the home of the The ceremony was performed by S. Poltorf, of the South Fork Pres- church, in the presence of a num- invited guests.

—Mr. George Varner, an old and respected citizen of Jackson township, died suddenly at his home on Monday from neuralgia of the heart. He was sitting in a chair when death claimed him.

—Is is said that dandelion leaves are a sure cure for insomnia. Before going to bed chew two or three of the leaves, and they will always induce sleep, no matter how nervous and worried a person may be.

—A few evenings ago the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Greisman, of DuBois, got hold of a bottle of carbolic acid instead of cough medicine, and drank it. The child is now dead. This is only another illustration of the carelessness of people in allowing deadly poisons to be within reach of children.

—Israel C. Caldwell, who was known in this county on account of his extensive land, lumber and coal interests in Portage township and also along the line of the Cresson and Coalport railroad, died at the home of his son, Samuel Horace Caldwell, at Tyrone, on Sunday morning, after a two weeks illness, aged 65 years.

—Conductor John King, of the Logan Valley electric railway, who was struck on the temple by a stone by Sigmund Shope, at Hollidaysburg on the 12th inst, died at the Altoona hospital at 6:30 o'clock Saturday night. His assailant is in jail and will doubtless be tried for murder before the Blair county criminal court.

—Mrs. Riddle arrived in Ebensburg this week to take charge of methods class in the Ebensburg Normal insitute. Teachers from all over the country are availing themselves of the opportunity. One hundred are now in attendance. New students are comidg daily. Dr. King comes July 3d, giving an entertainment that evening.

—Mrs. Davis, a well-known French lady of Dunlo, dropped dead at her home last Friday while in pursuence of her domestic duties shortly after breakfast. She had been in her usual good health up until the time her ailment assumed a serious form, which caused her death. She was aged about 35 years. The funeral took place Sunday afternoon.

—Mr. Fred. Bland, of Blandsburg, has a pear tree in his yard which has been in continuous blossom for over two months. The tree is well covered with half-grown pears. This is the second year this tree has distinguished itself in this manner and far as can be ascertained will uphold its prodigality indefinitely or until there is a physical collapse.

—John Glasser, of this place, while attending the Bi-centennial last week, had his pockets picked to the extent of $80. His pocketbook was taken while on a crowded street car and was missed right away but there was no officer in reach and as a consequence the scoundrel got away. Mr. Glasser was only one among the many. —*Carrolltown News.*

—On July 4, 1895, John Warden, of Rayne township, drove to Indiana in a buggy. When near the Catholic church a small boy threw a fire cracker under his horse. The animal ran off and Mr. Warden had his leg broken. He was a cripple for several months, and he has brought suit against the borough for $5,000 damages.—*Indiana Messenger.*

—Miss Myrtle Ickes, of Roaring Springs, Blair county, got out of her bed on Saturday morning while asleep, walked to the room of another lady living in the same house, raised a window and walked out. She fell 20 feet to the ground, and in so doing fractured one leg and one arm. She also sustained other internal and external injuries that will probably kill her.

—The dwelling house of John Fulmer, of Green township, Indiana county, was destroyed by fire on Thursday of last week. The fire originated from a spark falling on the roof. When the fire was discovered it had gained such headway that only a portion of the household goods were saved. Mr. Fulmer, in his efforts to get out the contents of the building, was badly burned.

—The Pennsylvania Railroad company announces that on and after Thursday, June 24, all trains will stop at Cresson. The Pennsylvania Limited will stop only when there are passengers to get on or off at that point. The Mountain House will open on that day. Commencing on that day, observation cars will be attached to the Pacific Express for the trip over the mountains.

—The school census, just completed, shows that there are in Philadelphia a few score less than one hundred thousand children. Some other things are shown, too, that one would hardly expect to find in a community so well civilized as Philadelphia; many children get only half day sessions on account of the crowded condition in some places, and in others they can have text books only every other week.

—The slaughter of rattlesnakes at the lumber job on Hayses' run, Clinton county, continues, and up to last Friday 109 had been killed. Mr. W. I. Harvey says the woods in that vicinity are fairly swarming with snakes of all kinds, but no count is kept of any that are killed of other species than the rattlers. There are five lumber jobs on Hayes' run, and the number given above is the total killed at all of the camps.

—Mrs. James Perry, who had been an invalid for a number of years, died at her home in Chest Springs, on Saturday, aged 59 years. She is survived by her husband, James Perry, and by three sons, Charles, of Chest Springs, and William and Frank, of Coalport, and two daughters, Mrs. J. B. Wilbur, of Ebensburg, and Mrs. Mary McDonald, of Chest Springs. Interment took place at the cemetery in Chest Springs on Monday at 2 o'clock.

—A charter has been applied for in the Centre county court for the incorporation of a telephone company in Philipsburg, that county, to extend in Clearfield, Cambria, Centre and Jefferson counties, connecting Philipsburg, Clearfield, Houtzdale, Curwensville, DuBois and Punxsutawney. It will rival and parallel the Central Pennsylvania Telephone and Telegraph company, and will be called the Philipsburg Telephone and telegraph company.

—A valuable deposite of silica glass sand has been unearthed on Montgomery creek, about four miles from Clearfield, and a number of Pittsburg and Clearfield capitalists will investigate the find. If it proves large enough they will erect a glass plant at that place. A rich bed of coal has been found there, and a new corporation is the Clearfield and Jefferson Coal and Iron company, for which a charter has recently been granted. It is capitalized at $1,000,000.

—What is known as the Cambria County Commissioners' case, in which the amount of compensation to which a county commissioner is entitled to in this county is the bone of contention and which has been passed upon by our Cambria county court and affirmed by the superior court, has been appealed to the supreme court by Commissioner Lloyd. After the supreme court wrestles with the case we will know for certain the amount of a commissioner's pay.

—P. Aiken, a track hand employed by the Pennsylvania railroad company at Kittanning Point, was admitted to the Altoona hospital on Monday, suffering from a number of ugly scalp wounds. On Saturday night he was called to the door of his cabin and assaulted by two burly negroes, who evidently meant to murder him and then rob the shanty. Other occupants coming to his aid, however, scared his assailants away before they accomplished their purpose fully.

—On the Fourth of July a grand picnic will be held in the McMullen grove on the road leading from Chest Springs to Carrolltown, which will be continued in the evening at the hall in Chest Springs. The proceeds realized will be applied to assist in erecting a new pastorial ready under way and it is to be hoped the affair will be generously patronized. The committee having it in charge will make every effort to render it a success and all who attend will be hospitably welcomed.

—The Pittsburg *Post* of Tuesday says: The Pittsburg diocese of the Roman Catholic church may be divided and Father M. M. Sheedy, of Altoona, formerly rector of Our Lady of Mercy's church, made bishop of the new division, to be called the Altoona diocese. Father Kittell, chancellor of the Pittsburg diocese, said yesterday the division was heartily approved, the Pittsburg diocese being much too large. As far as he knew the necessary petition had not yet forbeen warded to Rome.

—Postmaster J. H. McClelland, of Webster, Westmoreland county, was on Thursday removed from office by Inspector S. T. Hooten. The inspector made an examination of the books of the office and in less than half an hour discovered irregularities that resulted in the immediate removal of McClelland and the installing of his chief clerk—Miss Abbey Perkins—as postmaster. Postoffice Inspector Hooten says the defalcation of McClelland will not amount to more than $300, and that his bondsmen will be held responsible for the sum. McClelland stands high in his community.

—A Shade Gap correspondent of the Huntingdon *Local News* says: On Saturday night last Samuel Linn, who lives about three miles from this place, on hearing a noise in the barn, went out with a lantern to ascertain the cause and found one of his horses with its foot over the halter strap. He hung his lantern on a harness pin and tried to remove it when the horse kicked and struck the lantern and it exploded, scattering th oil in every direction and setting the barn on fire. He succeeded in getting his live stock out, however, but all the rest of the contents were consumed. It was partly covered by insurance.

—Secretary of Agriculture Edge will ask the next legislature to pass an important bill in relation to the care of cattle and also to appropriate $100,000 or more for the extermination of all diseased animals in the state. Attaches of the department are working on the matter now, securing statistics from other states to be submitted to the legislature along with the request for the enactment of such legislation. On account of the rapid spread of tuberculosis Secretary Edge thinks every precaution should be taken to check the disease. He is anxious for a liberal allowance to be used in the investigation of suspicious cases and to make proper experiments.

—The Philadelphia *Ledger* says: "Minnesota has a law which constitutes the township supervisors wardens for the prevention and extinguishment of forest and prairie fires and the report of its first year's working has just been made. During 1895 there were 8,265 acres of forest burned over, entailing a loss of $3,125; whereas in 1894, before the law went into effect, 340,000 acres of forest were burned over besides 73,000 acres of prairie, and the money loss was 34,277. This seems to show that fire wardens afford a considerable degree of protection, and deepens the regret that the similiar law proposed for Pennsylvania at the last session of the legislature was defeated."

An Unexpected Reception.

On Thursday night of last week a daring attempt was made to enter the residence of Andrew Strittmatter, of Carroll township, who resides about one mile south of Carrolltown, on the Ebensburg road, by some one who is supposed to have been intent on robbery.

About eleven o'clock Andrew Strittmatter, Jr., happened to be up later than customary, and while in the hall, noticed a man stealthily approaching the house and coming up the front steps. He at first supposed it was some neighbor but when he got closer he saw he had his face blackened, and as he noiselessly turned the knob and was cautiously pushing open the door, Andrew sprang to the door and closed and bolted it. He then ran upstairs and seized a revolver that was handy and as the intruder fled he sent to bullets after him which very much accelerated his departure. The next morning a hole in the board walk told where one of the bullets had entered and which must have passed unpleasantly near to the heels of the intended burglar.

Vagaries of Lightning.

Irwin, Pa., June 22.—During the storm yesterday afternoon the residence of Robert Fisher, in North Irwin, was struck by lightning. The bolt struck the chimney and shattered it. Next it blew its way through the slate roofing and scattered them to the winds. The rafters under the row of slate was splintered to the eaves. The fluid's course was down the clapboards into the cellar and here an iron pipe attracted it. This lead to the kitchen, and up it went, tearing up a section of flooring. The stove was the next object of attack. The fire was was extinguished by the lightning, and therefore threw the lids and cooking utensils to the floor.

None of the inmates of the house were injured. Next door, however, Miss Mary Cadwaller was standing in the window watching the storm. She hod a knife in her hand and the shock knocked her down.

Death of F. A. Lyte.

F. A. Lyte, of Kane, Pa., died at his home in that place, on Wednesday morning, June 24th, at 7:30, after an illness of about three months, starting with the grip which finally developed into pneumonia and acute consumption.

Mr. Lyte was a native of Lancaster county and at the time of his death was aged 42 years, 3 months and 8 days. He was well and favorably known in Ebensburg where he spent several years as principal of the Ebensburg schools and during that time, about twelve years ago, married Miss Annie, sister of Dr. A., and Webster Griffith, of this place, and soon after their marriage took up their residence in Kane, Pa. He is survived by his wife and three children, two daughters, Ruth and Dorthea, and one son, Tom. His funeral will take place from his late residence in Kane, Pa., at 1:30 P. M., to-day (Friday.)

Institute Managers Meet.

J. J. Thomas local member of the State Board of Agriculture; Henry Krumenacher, representing the Cambria County Agricultural society, and John Lloyd, representing the Ebensburg Agricultural society, met as a committee of institutes in this place this week.

It was decided to hold two institutes of two days each, one at Carrolltown and one at Ebensburg. It was also decided to hold a local institute in the south of the county, the time and place to be decided at a future meeting.

The committee then adjourned to meet on July 11th, 1896.

Home From School.

Misses Fannie Shoemaker and May Brown returned home from St. Xavier's on Thursday evening of last week.

Edgar Evans returned from Oberlin college, Oberlin, Ohio, on Wednesday.

Philip Shettig returned from St. Vincent's on Wednesday.

Olin Barker who had been attending the Pennsylvania University at Philadelphia, returned on Monday.

Real Estate Transfers.

George W. Kaylor to Joseph A. Scanlan, Allegheny; consideration, $1,000.

Ebenezer Williams et ux. to William R. Jones, Cambria, $1.

Owen Roland et ux. to William R. Jones, Cambria, $250.

Francis Huber et ux. to Peter Wojcznas, Hastings, $82.

William Sellnow et ux. to Julius Graberstein, Upper Yoder, $1,000.

David L. Owens et ux. to Hosea Evans, Ebensburg, $225.

Johnstown Building & Loan association to F. F. W. Clark, Morrellville, $3,100.

Solomon Wagner et ux. Jennie Black, Jackson, $75.

Tipton Coal & Coke company to Harbison & Walker company, Reade, $10.

Annie L. Bower et vir to Harbison & Walker company, Blandburg, $40.

Fred Bland et ux. to Harbison & Walker company, Blandburg, $25.

John Davis et ux. to Robert D. Rager et ux., Blacklick, $100.

Margaret Fogle et al. to George Brant, Lilly, $1.

Treasurer of Cambria county to Amos Davis, West Taylor, $4.

Treasurer of Cambria county to D. W. Powell, Blacklick, $8.

Cambria Iron company to Sarah B. Reighard, Johnstown, $250.

Benjamin Wirtner et ux. to Vincent Reig et al., Carrolltown, $100.

John F. Long et ux., to T. M. Richards, Cambria, $525.

John Frederick, Jr., et ux. et al., to Stephen McGarvey, Johnstown, $550.

Stephen McGarvey to Homer A. McGarvey, Johnstown, $358.

George E. McClellan to John G. Baickel, Johnstown, $2,250.

Treasurer of Cambria county to P. J. Little, Croyle, $8.

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Cambria Iron company to John H. Morley, West Taylor, $1,015.

Assignee of Jacob C. Horner to Thompson A. Wilson, Johnstown, $400.

Executors of Charles Von Lunen to Louisa Gerhardt, Johnstown, $525.

Executors of Joseph Kern to Anthony Hunt, Johnstown, $87.

Ludwig Nehuaus et ux. to George Hahn, Blandsburg, $35.

W. G. S. Robertson et ux. to William M. Ferguson, South Fork, $1,600.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Clerk of the Orphans' Court for the week ending Thursday, June 25th, 1896:

Andy Hostak and Rosana Tomchik, Johnstown.

Andrew J. Horaz, Johnstown, and Annie Hann, Pleasantville, Bedford county, Pa.

Daniel Philip Courter, Conemaugh and Margaret M. Mathieson, Summerhill.

John D. Wadsworth, Summerhill, and Cora A. Skiles, Wilmore.

Silas L. Miller and Emma S. Kehl, Dunlo.

Henry Farabaugh, Allegheny township, and Mary R. Dimond, Summerhill.

William H. Moore and Lucinda Adams, West Taylor, Township.

W. H. Burk and Mary A. Steep, Johnstown.

Edward Owens and Rose Berkey, Johnstown.

James M. Lambing, Rosedale, and Mattie Platt, Johnstown.

Samuel M. Bookman, Cresson, and Maggie Hainsey, Delaney.

George Anderson Slick, Johnstown, and Nettie May Stineman, South Fork.

Frederick Smith and Rosina Allen, Johnstown.

Carl Borgerson, Patton, and Ann C. Johnson, Alport, Clearfield, county, Pa.

George A. Rodgers and Maud Viola Baumbaugh, Morrellville.

John L. Sechler and Elsie M. Baker, South Fork.

Nicholas F. Lambour and Rose M. Leib, Nicktown.

Excursions.

That the public has come to recognize the fact that the best and most convenient method of pleasure travel is to participate in the Pennsylvania Railroad company's personally-conducted tours, is evidenced by their increased popularity with each succeeding year and the number of inquiries in regard to them.

Under this system the lowest rates are obtained, both for transportation and hotel accommodation, and none but the best hotels are used. An experienced tourist agent and chaperon accompany each tour to look after the comfort of the passenger.

The following tours have been arranged for the season of 1896:

To the north (including Watkins Glen, Nigara Falls, Thousand Islands, Montreal, Quebec, Au Sable Chasm, Lakes Champlain and George, Saratoga, and a daylight ride down through the Highlands of the Hudson,) July 21 and August 18. Rate, $100 for the round trip from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington, covering all expenses of a two week's trip.

To Yellowstone Park, covering a period of seventeen days, on a special train of Pullman sleeping, compartment, and observation cars and dining car, August 27. Rate, $200 from New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore and Washington.

Two tours to Gettysburg, Luray Cavern, Natural Bridge, Richmond and Washington will be run in the early Autumn.

Leg Broken.

Ollie Smithbauer, son of Jacob Smithbauer, of Cambria township, who was employed at Brown's steam mill on the Blacklick, about five miles west of Ebensburg, made a narrow escape from being killed on Monday when he met with an accident which resulted in having his right leg broken between the ankle and the knee.

Young Smithbauer with a number of other employes, was work at the ending of a log side which is about a mile long and built up into the woods for the purpose of bringing logs to the mill. It is very steep and the logs come down with a frightful velocity.

The men were not expecting the coming of any logs and were working indifferently to any danger when the suddenly realized that the logs were tumbling all around them. All except Smithbauer succeeded in getting out without being caught but several made very narrow escapes. He was taken to his home and is getting along as well as could be expected.

Push it Along.

The possibility of establishing the new township road between Patton and Ebensburg has not been dropped as one would think, but is being seriously considered by the residents along the proposed route as well as the citizens of the two towns at each terminus. The people are satisfied that the road can be built with but very little expense and when completed it will be on a natural grade from Patton to Bradley Junction, and travelers will never have to experience snow drifts as they do on the road via Carrolltown. If this road is compleated it will shorten the distance by about five miles. A petition is now in order.—*Patton Courier*

Cambria County Coal.

Washington, June 22.—After a contest of a good many years Western Pennsylvania coal has finally found its way into the departments here in Washington Bids have been adopted year after year to supply the departments with Western Pennsylvania coal, but there seems to have been a prejudice against it. This year the Allegheny Coal company submitted coal for test and competition, and today it was awarded the contract to supply what is known as Cumberland coal to the Agricultural department at $2.75 a ton, and hard coal at $6. The former coal comes from the Argyle in Cambria county.

Miscellaneous Notices.

ONE Champion Mowing Machine for sale at DUFTON'S. June 19 tf.

FOR SALE. 70,000 No. 1. Brick. 10,000 Pressed Brick and one new Empire Binder. Inquire of June 12 3t. M. D. BEARER.

WANTED—A general representative in this county to organize local boards for the Artisans' Savings and Loan Association. Address 91 Fifth Ave., Pittsburg, Pa. mch22

WANTED—A reliable man to represent a loan institution in Cambria county Money loaned in sums of $100 to $10,000. For particulars apply to W. M. DAVIS, Coalport, Pa. mch29tf.

THE Ebensburg Building & Loan Association will offer for sale at the Key Building, Ebensburg, on the fourth Monday in July, $2,000.00. THOS. DAVIS, LESTER LAKIMER, Secretary. President.

FOR COMMISSIONER: ROBERT FERGUSON, of Blacklick township, will be a candidate for the office of County Commissioner on the Democratic ticket, subject to the decision of the next county convention.

AT THE OLD RELIABLE.

Everybody, and especially the oyster-loving people of Ebensburg, are invited to call at Robt. McBreen's Old Reliable Restaurant, when they want good, fresh Oysters, by the pint, quart or gallon. Or you can have them Stewed or Fried, all at the lowest price. Fresh Oysters every day. oct11tf

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF LILLY BOROUGH FOR THE YEAR 1895.

HENRY EHRENFELD, Tax Collector.

	Cr.	Dr.
To balance from last year		$165 07
By treasurer's receipts	$100 00	
By exonerations	2 80	
By exonerations on dog tax	6 00	
By commission on $156 27 at 5 per ct	7 81	
By balance	48 46	
Total	$165 07	$165 07

HENRY EHRENFELD.

To balance from last year	$ 14 03
By treasurer's receipts	$ 14 03
Total	$ 14 03 $ 14 03

JOS. RAINEY, Tax Collector.

To balance	$106 47
To commission on $106 47 at 5 per ct	5 32
By exonerations	$ 7 21
By commission on $40 00 at 5 per ct	2 00
By balance	102 58
Total	$111 79 $111 79

JOS. RAINEY, Treasurer.

To amount of liquor license	$684 00
To amount from H. Ehrenfeld	114 03
To amount from burgess	58 96
To amount from Wm. Morland	2 00
By orders redeemed	$622 97
By freight on sewer pipe	5 98
By commission on $628 95, 2½ per ct	$15 72
By credit overpaid laid last year	19 93
By balance	194 59
Total	$858 99 $858 99

THOS. LEAP, Tax Collector.

To amount of duplicate	$465 88
By abatements on $290 67, 5 per ct	$ 10 03
By amount collected	391 57
By exonerations	17 05
By taxes returned	8 86
By commission on $400 43, 5 per ct	20 02
By balance	18 35
Total	$465 88 $465 88

THOS. LEAP, Treasurer.

To amount from collector	$400 43
To amount from Joseph Rainey Ex Tr	194 39
To amount from election rents	10 00
To amount from burgess	20 00
To amount from H. Ehrenfeld, Ex. Tr	48 46
To amount from J. Amandt	8 74
By orders redeemed	248 27
By amount paid on loans	3 61
By commission on $251 88, 2½ per ct	6 30
By balance	423 84
Total	$682 02 $682 02

DR. A. B. KREBS, Burgess.

To balance from last year	$ 21 89
To borough fines	34 72
To borough license	27 00
To assessments on Willow street	20 00
By treasurer's receipts	78 96
By receipts filed from last year	29 88
By balance	6 77
Total	$106 61 106 61

LIABILITIES.

Obligations to Chas. Bender	$100 00
Obligations to A. Yingling	150 00
Obligations to Albinus Yingling	100 00
Obligations to Mrs. L. Brown	600 00
Outstanding orders	57 13
ASSETS.	
By balance from Thos. Leap	18 35
By balance from Jos. Rainey	102 58
By balance from C. A. McGonigle	15 04
By balance from A. B. Krebs	6 77
	$142 74 $1,007 13
Liabilities in excess of assets	$864 39

We certify the above to be correct

L. D. STIFFLER, WILLIM KELLY, LAMBERT E. GEORGE } Auditors

Lilly, Penna., April 20th, 1896. June 16 3t.

NOTICE —TO— TAXPAYERS!

Notice is hereby given that the County Treasurer of Cambria County will attend for the purpose of receiving County, State and Dog taxes assessed for the year 1896, at the place of holding elections (or the usual place of receiving taxes) in the respective districts, on the dates mentioned below.

A discount of five per cent. will be allowed on all taxes paid on or before October 1st, and after October 1st 5 per cent. will be added.

NORTHERN DISTRICT.

Allegheny township	August 6
Ashville borough	August 15
Harnesboro borough	July 21
Barr township	July 9
Blacklick township	July 8
Cambria township	July 25
Carrolltown Borough	July 17
Carroll township	July 17
Chest Springs borough	August 4
Chest township	August 14
Clearfield township	August 3
Croyle township	July 16
Cresson township	July 30
Dean township	August 10
Ebensburg borough	July 11
Elder township	July 23
Gallitzin borough	August 7
Gallitzin township	August 1
Hastings borough	July 22
Jackson township	July 20
Lilly borough	July 14
Loretto borough	August 5
Munster township	July 18
Patton borough	July 24
Portage borough	July 15
Portage township	July 15
Reade township, East	August 11
Reade township, South	August 12
Spangler borough	July 28
South Fork borough	July 10
Summerhill borough	July 16
Summe hill township	July 13
Susquehanna township	July 29
Tunnelhill borough	August 8
Washington township	July 14
White township	August 13
Wilmore borough	July 13

The county treasurer will be in the Treasurer's office, Ebensburg, every Saturday from July 25th to August 22nd, and every day after August 23d.

F. H. BAKER, County Treasurer.

Treasurer's Office, Ebensburg, Pa., June 9th 1896 June 19 4t

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF DEAN SCHOOL DISTRICT, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 1ST, 1896.

Whole number of schools	5
Number of teachers employed	5
Number of pupils enrolled in all the schools	128
Average daily attendance	63
Amount of tax levied for school purposes	$ 938 86
Amount of tax levied for building purposes	402 22
TREASURER'S ACCOUNT—MONEY RECEIVED.	
Balance on hand from last year	$ 188 12
Received from state appropriation	437 86
From collector, including taxes of all kind	1 108 84
From county treasurer, unseated lands, fines, etc	215 84
From all other sources	107 75
Total receipts	$2,058 81
TREASURERS ACCOUNT—MONEY PAID OUT.	
For teacher's wages	$1,061 00
For rent and repairs	77 71
For fuel and contingencies	82 37
Fees of collectors, $50 61, treasurer $44 31	105 77
Salary of secretary, expenses, stationery, postage, etc	32 00
For printing and auditors' fees	19 00
For school books	44 31
For maps and globes	253 25
For all other purposes and sundry expenses	133 37
Total money paid out	$1,816 78
RESOURCES AND LIABILITIES.	
Cash on hand	241 78
Amount due district	117 54

WM. HILDMBRANDT, M. K. BATTS, W. D. FULTON, } Auditors.

The above account has been duly audited by the auditors of this district, and certified by them to be correct

G. W. BROWN, Secretary. J. O. McMULLEN Pres. Ident.

June 19 3t

BONANZA to AGENTS SAMPLES FREE both sexes. Write now to A. SCOTT, New York City.

AGENTS WANTED by an old reliable firm; large profits, quick sales. SAMPLE FREE. A rare opportunity. Geo. A. [illegible], 849 Broadway, N. Y.

A FRIENDLY STORE!

Friendly Invitation, Friendly Welcomes, Friendly Clerks, Friendly Talk, Friendly Talk, Friendly of the Store make this possible. It spurs us to broader, better and more liberal Trading.

NO GRAND PARADE

ever exceeded the splendor of our array of Dry Goods. They are more attractive than ever before, and they will move rapidly, for the price is right.

Yard-wide Muslin. -	3 1-4c per yard.
Fruit of the Loom, - -	10c. a yard.
Toil Du Noid, - -	10c. a yard.
Cotton Crepon, - -	10c. a yard.
Cashmeres, all colors, 15, 20, 25, 35, 45, 50c.	yard.
Sateen in Persian effects, -	12c. a yard.

"Hats at High-Tide"

Is the only expression that will describe the state of our Hat trade this season. Hats that will make tall, thin men look stout. Hats for fat men,

YACHTING CAPS

and Sailor Hats for boys. Men's and boys' Crush Hats for 50c. Men's black Tourist Hats for 75c. and up. Men's Stiff Hats in all colors

AT ANY PRICE.

Words of Praise.

Preach us every day from customers. We suit them with Clothing. Their Clothes fit, are made well, they are satisfied.

The price is right and the styles correct.

These are some of the reasons they sing our praise.

We sell all all-wool Cheviot Suits for $5.00.
We sell scuff Suits for $4.50.
We sell Clay-worsted Sack Suits for $6.00.
We sell better Clays for $8, 10 and 12.
Children's double-breasted Suits, 4 to 14 years, $1.25.
We sell Grand Army Suits, including Brass G. A. R. Buttons, for only $8.

Held High in Estimation.

Something cool is what the people are looking for now—cool and comfortable are these one strap Sandals in Dongola and Tan Needle or Razor Toe for $1 and $1,25.

Ladies' Oxford in Dongola and Tan from 75c. to $2.

Also Children's in Patent Leather, Dongola and Tan sandals from 60c. to $1.25.

Yours for Low Prices,

H. ORTH,

CALLITZIN, PA.

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All Kinds and Sizes for Sale by

H. A. SHOEMAKER.

Orphans' Court Sale OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE!

By virtue of an order of the Orphans' Court to me directed, I will expose to public sale on the premises hereinafter described, on

SATURDAY, JULY 18TH, 1896,

at 2 o'clock, P. M., all the following described real estate, viz:

All the right, title, and interest which was of Miles Ivory, late of Clearfield township, deceased, of, in, and to all that certain piece or parcel of land, situate in the Township of Clearfield, County of Cambria, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, viz: Beginning at a post on the Ashland road, thence North eighty-one degrees East sixty nine perches to a post; thence West fifty three degrees twenty four perches to potaters; thence South eighty-seven degrees East seventy three perches to a post; thence South by Ashland road to place of beginning, containing

9 ACRES

and FORTY-SEVEN perches, net measure. Being the same land which John Ryan, High Sheriff of Cambria county, by his deed acknowledged in open court on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1879 sold the same to John E. Seanor, by whom it was conveyed to Miles Ivory the decedent above named by deed bearing date the 17th day of January, A. D. 1880 and recorded in Cambria County in Deed Book Volume 80, Page 161, having thereon erected a

COMFORTABLE HOUSE,

good barn, and all necessary outbuildings.

TERMS OF SALE.

Ten per cent of the purchase money to be paid in hand the day of sale; the balance of one third when the sale is confirmed by the Court; one-third in six months and one-third in twelve months from date of sale. Deferred payments to be secured by judgment bond and mortgage of the purchaser. LUKE BEHE,

Admr. of Estate of Miles Ivory, deceased. Clearfield township, June 20th, 1896. June 26 3t.

JOHN F. STRATTON'S CELEBRATED

MANDOLINS,

Importers of and Wholesale Dealers in all kinds of MUSICAL MERCHANDISE, 811, 813, 815, 817 East 9th St., New York.

FRAZER AXLE GREASE

BEST IN THE WORLD.

Its wearing qualities are unsurpassed, actually outlasting two boxes of any other brand. Not affected by heat. GET THE GENUINE. FOR SALE BY DEALERS GENERALLY.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF CHEST SPRINGS BOROUGH.

STEPHEN CONRAD, Collector.

	Dr.
To amount of duplicate	$343 38
To order on E. Byrne	5 00
To order on Alice Wharton	5 00
Total	$353 38

	Cr.	
By amount paid treasurer	$177 54	
By 5 per ct. off for prompt payment	9 24	
By amount paid treasurer	150 84	
By 5 per ct. for collecting $177 54	5 33	
By 5 per ct. for collecting $150 84	7 54	
By exonerations	10 99	
		7 23
Balance due collector		$360 59
Total	$360 59	$360 59

C. H. PERRY, Treasurer.

	Dr.
To order on D. C. Little	$ 80 43
To appropriation	247 68
To order of council	125 00
To amount from collector	278 38
Total	$731 49

	Cr.	
By orders paid	$715 90	
By 2 per ct for paying out $715 90	14 32	
Total	$73 22	
Balance due district	1 27	
Total	$731 49	

OUTSTANDING BILLS.

Bill of stationery	10 40
Assessment for fire insurance	6 00
Total	$ 16 40

We, the undersigned auditors certify that we have examined the above accounts and found them correct.

JOHN E. McKENZIE, M. L. LEAKY, CHAS. McDONALD, Secretary. } Auditors.

June 26, 3t.

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Assigned estate of John A. Blair.

Notice is hereby given that John A. Blair and Jane A. Blair, his wife, on the 28th day of May 1896, executed a deed of voluntary assignment to the undersigned transferring all the estate, real,

M'LEAN FOR PRESIDENT

A Movement In His Interest Among Ohio Democrats.

THEIR STATE CONVENTION TODAY.

The Silver Men Have Almost 600 of the 675 Delegates—Taylor Presides—McLean, Bookwalter, Thurman and Holden Will Be Sent to Chicago.

COLUMBUS, June 24.—The Democratic state convention is in session here today.

Colonel W. A. Taylor presides as temporary chairman.

The preliminary meetings show that the silver men have almost 600 of the 675 delegates in the convention.

At the district meetings the silver men carried 17 the congressional districts and the gold men four. The committee on resolutions and other committees, including the state central committee, stand 17 to 4. The Ohio delegation to Chicago, when the delegates are all chosen, will probably stand 38 to 8 for free silver, although the silver men claim 40 to 8. With their large majority in this convention the silver men intend to instruct the Ohio delegation for free silver and to vote as a unit so that the four gold districts, which include the city of Dayton, Hamilton, Toledo and Cleveland, will be shut out.

While the instructions on free silver will be ironclad, there will be no instructions for president. Most of the county conventions had endorsed ex-Governor Campbell for president before the tidal wave for silver set in and now the silver leaders claim that Campbell is too conservative on the financial question. Meantime John W. Bookwalter, an original free silver man, who was the Democratic candidate for governor against Charles Foster in 1881, has worked up quite a sentiment in favor of his endorsement for president. Campbell and his friends openly oppose Bookwalter. The fight between them was stopped by the friends of John R. McLean, who said they would oppose either instructions or the endorsement of anyone for president.

It is understood that this movement is in the interest of McLean for the national ticket. While Campbell, McLean and Bookwalter have their respective followings as the Ohio favorite, Colonel Joseph Rickey of Missouri has been active in the interest of Bland for president. General A. J. Warner, president of the American Bimetallic league, is also here taking an active part in the interest of the fusion of all silver interests. The silver slate includes John R. McLean, John W. Bookwalter, Allen W. Thurman and L. L. Holden for delegates-at-large. Very little interest is being taken in the state ticket. The leading candidates for secretary of state, the head of the ticket, are A. A. Brown of Cincinnati and ex-Congressman S. S. Yoder of Lima.

When the delegates met by congressional districts the silver men did not have their way in the Third, Ninth, Twentieth and Twenty-first districts and the gold men are also contesting the Eighteenth district, which is the district formerly represented in congress by McKinley. The silver men claim to control the committees from 17 to 4.

The committee on resolutions is as follows: First district, Wallace Birch; Second, D. S. Oliver; Third, J. C. Patterson; Fourth, George W. Moore; Fifth, J. W. Winn; Sixth, C. H. Collins; Seventh, T. H. Dever; Eighth, Fred H. Bleshner; Ninth, Frank H. Hurd; Tenth, John Herman; Eleventh, J. Vanmeter; Twelfth, Casper Loewenstein; Thirteenth, A. L. Barron; Fourteenth, H. L. Stewart; Fifteenth, David Okey; Sixteenth, E. L. Lynch; Seventeenth, Aquilla Wiley; Eighteenth, Archibald McGregor; Nineteenth, S. G. Rogers; Twentieth, T. D. Bremer; Twenty-first, Charles J. Estep.

When the state central committee met about half the membere were absent, but they were represented by silver men to whom the gold members had given proxies. Still there was a fight. The silver men supported W. A. Taylor of Columbus, and the gold men J. A. Norton of Tiffin for temporary chairman. Taylor was elected, receiving 14 votes to 7 for Norton.

The committee on credentials seated the silver contestants from Stark county, insuring them the Eighteenth district, so that the districts stand 17 to 4. General A. J. Warner of Marietta was selected by the committee for permanent chairman. He has not been cooperating with the party owing to Cleveland's policy against silver, and his selection was made to intensify the silver sentiment.

GEORGIA FOR SILVER.

Her Democratic Delegation Will Be For the White Metal.

ATLANTA, June 24.—The Georgia Democratic convention which meets at Macon tomorrow will, it is said, send a solid silver delegation to Chicago and adopt no instructions as to the candidates. Of the 350 delegates that have been chosen, not 50 are opposed to the free and unlimited and independent coinage of silver. In only one district do the gold men stand a chance of electing their delegates to Chicago, but the convention will certainly adopt a unit rule which will make it a solid vote for silver.

There has been no talk among Democrats as to a candidate for the presidency. The leaders in the silver movement have made it a point to keep down all possibilities of a division by eliminating talk of candidates. There will be no effort to instruct for any candidate. The general feeling is that the man should come from some one of the Middle states and Boies and Matthews are most often suggested.

SILVER SHOWED STRENGTH.

But Gold Carried the Day Among the Wisconsin Democrats.

MILWAUKEE, June 24.—Free silver developed unexpected strength in the Democratic state convention. Until within three weeks the gold standard adherents were supposed to overwhelmingly be in the majority in the Wisconsin Democracy, but when the test vote came on the adoption of the minority and majority reports from the committee on resolutions, the silver men were found to number 128 of the 345 delegates in the convention.

The delegates-at-large to the national convention are all gold standard advocates are headed by Senator William F. Vilas and General Edward S. Bragg. The district delegates chosen by the district delegation, included, several silver men, but will be governed by the unit rule. They have no preference for presidential nominee.

Made Rich by a Vanderbilt.

GREENFIELD, O., June 24.—Abraham Pierson is dead. He was born about 80 years ago in Newark, N. J. When a young man he was a protege of Commodore Vanderbi t's, and by him was enabled to make a fortune before he was 30 years old. He went down in the panic of Black Friday in 1873, and never rallied. He came here about ten years ago, and has since made his home with his nephew, George T. Day, Jr. He was an uncle of Mrs. Howard Douglass of Cincinnati.

Belasco Awarded $16,000.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The jury gave David Belasco $16,000 in his suit against Fairbanks of Chicago for training Mrs. Leslie Carter for the stage.

Mrs. Fleming Not Guilty.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Mrs. Fleming, charged with poisoning her mother, has been found not guilty.

GOV. ALTGELD RENOMINATED.

Illinois Democrats Ignored His Protest. Instructed For Free Silver.

PEORIA, Ills., June 24.—John P. Altgeld is the nominee of the Democratic party for governor of Illinois. He was unanimously placed at the head of the ticket. He had no opponent and a few moments before the honor was thrust upon him, he declared that he did not want it. He said so at the conclusion of one of the most impressive speeches ever made before a Democratic convention. He said that he was physically unable to lead the fight, and his financial affairs were in bad shape and needed his attention. No sooner had he mentioned his desire to retire from public life than there came an impassioned shout of disapproval, not only from the delegates, but from thousands of people who were crowded in the hall.

It was a strange convention and will not soon be forgotten. It was in session only a little over five hours. Nearly all the candidates were nominated by acclamation.

There was no strife. There was no acrimonious speeches save those directed against the enemy.

The convention, as had been predicted, came out strongly for free silver and so instructed its delegates to the national convention. The platform was diametrically opposite in all its parts to that of the Republican party and the 1,065 delegates voted unanimously for its adoption.

The delegates-at-large are John P. Altgeld, S. P. McConnell, W. H. Hinrichsen, George W. Fithian.

Had Six Pairs of Twins.

HOUGHTON, Mich., June 24.—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Beudoin, French Canadians, residents of Allouez, Keweenaw county, has been baptized at Calumet. It is the twenty-eighth child born to the couple, of whom 11 are living. Mrs. Beudoin was married 28 years ago and has borne twins eight times.

To Extend Their Bonds.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The Pittsburg and Connellsville Railroad company has entered into an arrangement for the extension of their $4,000,000 first mortgage bonds, due July 1, 1898, so that the principal shall become payable in 50 years from July 1, 1896, with interest meanwhile, payable semi-annually at the rate of 4 per cent, both principal and interest payable in United States gold coin.

Mrs. Craven's Sensational Moves.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—Mrs. Nettie Craven has made two sensational moves in the Fair will contest. She has filed ejectment proceedings against the heirs of James G. Fair to oust them from possession of the property at Pine and Sansome streets and the block on Mission and Eleventh streets and at the same time to recover in all $220,000 for back rents and damages.

To Catch Apache Kid.

TUCSON, A. T., June 24.—Advices from San Bernardino ranch says that Lieutenants Averill and Rice, with two companies of cavalry and 60 scouts, including White mountain, Yuma and Pagago Indians, have been joined by Mexican troops, and are now going south through Senora to catch Apache Kid.

Lee Denies He Has Sent Reports.

HAVANA, June 24.—The United States consul general, General Fitzhugh Lee, denies, not diplomatically, but absolutely, the statement published that he has sent important reports to President Cleveland by a special messenger. He admits that he has not sent any reports to Mr. Cleveland in any way.

Superintendents Get the Mails.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The postoffice department has issued notifications to postmasters at all offices where Indian schools are located to deliver the mail addressed to minor pupils of those institutions to the superintendents of the schools who will have full control over it.

State of the Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The treasury has lost $60,700 in gold coin and $15,900 in bars, which leave the true amount of the gold reserve $102,175,340.

Congressman Dayton Renominated.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 24.—The Second West Virginia Republican congressional district at Morgantown renominated Congressman Dayton. Dayton beat Postmaster General Wilson in 1894.

STATE HAPPENINGS.

H. H. Rittenhouse, a veteran of the war, killed himself at Reading because his pension was not increased.

A dinkey engine used on railroad improvements, near Altoona, exploded, but nobody was hurt.

Charles M. Alcott, aged 75, father of Alderman Alcott of Altoona, committed suicide there by hanging.

A valuable horse belonging to John Daniels of Fairchance was gored to death by a bull in a pasture field.

George Yancowith shot Andrew Hadock and Policeman Lowton at Mount Carmel. Both will recover.

James Mills, under a 14-years sentence for attacking a little girl, mysteriously escaped from West Chester prison.

John Matta, a Hungarian, was struck by a freight train near Tyrone and fatally injured. He was 24 years old and unmarried.

Rev. R. Etzenhouser, the Mormon missionary, has stopped his sensational meetings at Neshannock, giving the warm weather as an excuse.

By a fall from the hayloft of the barn adjoining the East Lebanon hotel, Amos Boltz, aged 60 years, sustained fractures of several ribs and severe bruises.

The residence of Charles Matthews and store of Charles Martin, at New Castle, were entered by burglars and good hauls made at both places.

The department of internal affairs has issued a patent to Daniel Kennelley of Clinton county, of 82 acres, 141 perches of valuable land hitherto unowned.

Citizens of Greensburg have appointed a committee of six to proceed against members of the outgoing schoolboard for failure to furnish an itemized report.

Miss Fannie Raybold, a graduate of Spring Garden school, Philadelphia, died at her home at Altoona just an hour before her diploma reached her parents by mail.

A barn owned by John Fortney, near Mackeyville, was destroyed by fire. With the building a horse, spring wagon, harness, feed and other contents were burned.

Mrs. Charles Green, an elderly woman, long time a resident of Springboro, Crawford county, drowned herself in a cistern. The act is believed to have been caused by continued ill-health.

A brakeman named James Hariland was instantly killed by being run over by a freight train at Coburn on the Bellefonte and Montandon road. He was jolted and fell through the cars.

After an idleness of four weeks, the fires at the Valentine Iron company blast furnace were lighted and active work has resumed, at Bellefonte. The shutdown was necessitated by the annual repairs.

Tim Bowers an old man who lived alone in a shanty near Clifton, was struck by a passenger train on the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad while gathering coal along the track and instantly killed.

George Ormes, a colored student at Geneva, was arrested and taken to Beaver on a delicate charge made by Mary Hausburg. Ormes is the student who won the oratorical contest prize at Geneva college commencement a few weeks ago.

TO NOTIFY M'KINLEY.

The Committee Will Visit Canton Next Tuesday.

HOBART TO BE NOTIFIED JULY 7.

Governor McKinley Receives a Letter of Congratulation From Senator Quay—A Big Meeting to Be Held In Canton Saturday Night.

CANTON, O., June 24.—A call for a meeting of the Republican national convention notification committee in Cleveland next Monday has been issued. On Tuesday the committee will come to Canton, and officially notify Mr. McKinley of his nomination. The speech will be delivered by Senator Thurston, the chairman. Hobart will be officially notified of his nomination for vice president on July 7.

Governor McKinley has received an autograph letter from Senator Quay, who said he did not try to push his congratulations into the first great flow that came, but continued:

"I do congratulate you on the splendid vote of confidence you received in the convention, which represents absolutely the best thought of the Republican party of the nation."

While the question of the location of national headquarters has been under discussion and Cleveland has made a strong effort to secure them, the impression does not exist here that the custom of years past will be changed, and it is believed that the Republican national campaign will be directed by Chairman Hanna from New York as usual.

Great preparations are being made for the big meeting next Saturday night. Cantonians have been so delighted with the convention work of Senator Foraker and Congressman Grosvenor that efforts will be made to secure their presence.

Major McKinley has received from Governor Bushnell that a delegation of Columbus people will visit him Monday afternoon.

PLATT RIGHT IN LINE.

He Made a Speech at a Meeting In New York.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The first big gun of the Republican campaign in this city was fired at Carnegie Music hall last evening. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Republican county committee, and Thomas C. Platt broke a time-honored custom by making a speech. The list of vice presidents included many of the prominent Republicans of this city. Scarcely any of the anti-Platt Republicans, however, were present.

Edward Lauterbach, who presided, introduced Mr. Platt, saying that Mr. Platt was a peerless leader, and had returned from St. Louis convinced that "Mark Hanna is a first-class boss." When Mr. Platt arose to respond he was loudly cheered. The cheers were renewed when he said that his presence there proved the falsity of the old proverb that "dead men tell no tales."

May my words sink into your minds," he added, "as those of a man who has risen from the grave, and that often." Platt said in part:

The Republicans of New York are united in behalf of the candidates that were nominated and the platform that was adopted at St. Louis. I hope they will be no less united in all matters that affect the welfare of their party and the honor of their state. I am always ready to set the example of cheerful acquiescence in the will of the majority.

And as an earnest of this purpose let us give three cheers loud enough to be heard from Montauk Point to Buffalo, for McKinley, Hobart and harmony.

FOR BOIES AND BRYAN.

North Carolina Will Be For Silver Almost Without a Struggle.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 24.—The Democratic state convention will meet here tomorrow. It will declare for the immediate free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Only three or four of the 96 counties are for the gold standard.

The delegates will be instructed not to vote for any man for president who has not been a free silver advocate all the time. There will be no split either in the state or district delegations. They will be unalterably for silver. Boies and Bryan are most talked of and there is a growing sentiment for Senator Teller, though the machine leaders are opposed to his nomination. Dr. J. J. Mott, chairman of the silver party, will be here and he is trying to have the convention endorse Teller.

An attempt will be made to have the convention postpone nominations for state officers until the middle of August in order to grasp the national situation and if Teller should be the nominee of the Democrats and Populists to undertake to get all the free silver men to support one ticket for governor and state officers and electors as against the Republican ticket nominated last month.

UNDERCURRENT FOR SILVER.

Some Sentiment at the New York Democratic Convention.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 24.—The Democratic state convention is in session today. It will declare that the present gold standard in the country should be preserved until such time as there can be obtained an international agreement for bimetallism.

At the same time the leaders of the party will postpone the selection of presidential electors until fall convention of the party.

The two facts are significant and taken in conjunction seem to point that the party leaders, while protesting that the gold standard should be maintained, are fearful that the national convention will not heed their cry and that their electors, if elected now, might be put in a false position of being pledged to vote only for a presidential candidate who the more nearly represented the financial pronouncements of the party at this convention. The delegates-at-large to be selected are Roswell P. Flower, David B. Hill, Edward Murphy and Frederick R. Coudert. There is a strong undercurrent among the delegates here for silver.

GOOD FOR BIMETALLISM.

Delegates From Six European Nations Adopt Resolutions.

LONDON, June 24.—A Paris dispatch to The Daily News says that an international commission of husbandry, including delegates from France, Germany, Belgium, Austria, Sweden and Switzeriand, met at the ministry of husbandry and adopted a bimetallic resolution.

The resolution called upon the French government to propose the subject to the other countries in the international convention. The Daily News correspondent says: "As M. Meline (the French premier) presided at the meeting, Great Britain is likely to hear shortly from the French government on this subject."

Democrats Will Organize College Clubs.

CHICAGO, June 24.—A movement has been started at the University of Chicago toward the organization of Democratic clubs in every college and university in the country. The organization will be modeled after the National League of College Republican Clubs founded at Ann Arbor in 1892.

Arrested For Flirting.

ATLANTIC CITY, June 24.—Chief Eldridge has arrested Eugene Harvey for flirting on the boardwalk. He was arraigned before the recorder and fined $3.90 and given a warning if caught again he would be dealt with to the full penalty of the law.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The International Gathering Now In Session at Boston.

BOSTON, June 24.—The eighth international and thirteenth national Sunday school convention was opened in Tremont Temple with a praise service led by Dwight L. Moody. A business session of the convention was opened by the chairman of the executive committee, B. F. Jacobs of Chicago, at the close of the praise service, and William Randolph of Missouri was introduced as chairman of the convention.

Mr. Randolph gave a brief resume of the workings of the Sunday schools as an evangelizing medium and then Rev. George C. Lorimer, D. D., pastor of the Tremont Temple, extended a hearty welcome to the delegates. Hon. Samuel H. Blake, Q. C., of Toronto, responded.

At the Tremont Temple meeting after the reports of the various committees had been presented President-elect Samuel R. Capen of Boston, addressed the convention. The following persons were heard under the head of "work reported."

William Reynolds of Peoria, Ills., on "The International Field;" Rev. H. M. Hamell of Jacksonville, Fla., on "Work In the South;" Hugh Cork of Marshall, Minn., "Work In the North," and Rev. L. B. Maxwell of Savannah, Ga., "Work Among the Colored People."

THE MYSTIC SHRINERS.

They Elected New Officers and Paraded at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, June 24.—The twenty-second annual session of the Imperial council of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine opened here last evening. The great parade last evening was participated in by at least 4,000 members.

There are 186 delegates in the imperial council. Detroit was fixed upon as the place of meeting in 1897. It was decided that hereafter the five lowest officers of the imperial council shall be appointed by the imperial potentate, instead of being elected. These officers are imperial first ceremonial master, imperial second ceremonial master, imperial marshal, imperial captain of the guard and imperial outer guard. The officers elected are as follows:

Imperial potentate, Harrison Dingman, Washington; imperial deputy potentate, Albert D. McGaffy of Denver; imperial chief sabban, Ethelbert F. Allen, Kansas City; imperial assistant sabban, John H. Atwood, Leavenworth, Kan.; imperial high priest and prophet, William H. S. Wright, St. Paul,; imperial oriental guide, Lew B. Windson, Grand Rapids, Mich.; imperial treasurer, William S. Brown, Pittsburg; imperial recorder, Benjamin W. Rowell, Lynn, Mass.

Filibusters' Trial Postponed.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Another postponement of the alleged filibusters, John D. Hart, Emilio Nunez, Captain John O'Brien and Mate Edward Murphy, was granted by Judge Brown, in the United States circuit court. The counsel stated that Nunez was unable to appear for trial at this time because he is held at Jacksonville, Fla., on a charge similar to the one made against him here. Judge Brown set the case for trial on next Monday.

A Preacher Deposed.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 24.—After an all night session, Rev. C. E. Lee, pastor of the Second Baptish church, was found guilty of improper liberties with female members of his congregation and deposed from the ministry. Rev. Lee is the inventor of the individual communion cup, for which he has a patent.

The Vice President at Cape May.

CAPE MAY, June 24.—Vice President Stevenson, accompanied by Mrs. Stevenson, Miss Letitia Stevenson and Mr. Lewis Stevenson, have arrived at the Stockton hotel. Mr. Stevenson will leave his family at the seashore and attend the Chicago convention, returning for a protracted stay.

A Courtmartial Ordered.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—A courtmartial has been ordered by the secretary of the navy to assemble at the Mare Island navyyard next Thursday for the trial of Past Assistant Paymaster Edwin B. Webster, late of the Yorktown, on charges of fraud and scandalous conduct on the Asiatic station.

International League of Press Clubs.

BUFFALO, June 24.—The International League of Press clubs is in session at the Iroquois hotel in this city. There are over 100 delegates in attendance.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, June 23.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 66@67c; No. 2 red, 64@65c; spring wheat, 63@64c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 33@33½c; No. 2 shelled, 32½@32¾c; high mixed shelled, 32@32½c; mixed car, 30@31c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 24¾@25c; No. 2 do, 23¾@24c; extra No. 3 white, 23@23½c; light mixed, 22½@23c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $14.50@15.00; No. 2 timothy, $12.50@13.00; mixed clover, $11.50@12.00; packing, $6.50@7.00; No. 1 feeding prairie, $8.00@8.50; wagon hay, $17.00@18.00 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 17@18c; Ohio, fancy creamery, 15@16c; fancy country, roll, 10@11c; low grade and cooking, 7@8c.

CHEESE—Fancy New York, full cream, 8¼@8½c; New York flats, cream, 8¼c; new Ohios, 7@7½c; new Wisconsin Swiss, in tubs, 11@12c; limburger, 8½@9c; Ohio Swiss, in tubs, 11@12c; Swiss, in square blocks, 13@13½c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, 11½@12c; seconds, 9½@10c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 55@65c per pair; live chickens, small, 50@55c; spring chickens, 25@50c per pair; dressed chickens, 12@13c per pound; dressed spring chickens, 18@19c; live ducks, 50@60c per pair; dressed, 14@15c; live turkeys, 9@10c per pound; dressed, 14@15c; live geese, 60@75c per pair.

PITTSBURG, June 23.

CATTLE—Receipts fair, on Monday 55 cars on sale; market slow at unchanged prices. Today's receipts light; market unchanged. We quote prices as follows: Extra, $4.30@4.35; good, $4.10@4.20; tidy, $4.00@4.10; good butchers, $3.80@4.00; prime, $4.25@4.30; fair, $3.5.@3.80; common, $3.00@3.50; rough, fat, $3.00@3.85; bulls, stags and cows, $2.00@3.50; heifers, $3.00@4.00; bologna cows, per head, $15.00@15.00; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@35.00.

HOGS—Receipts were light on Monday; market ruled active at opening, but closed weak. Today's receipts are light; market steady and prices shade lower. We quote prices: Prime light weights, $3.55@3.60; best medium grades, $3.50@3.55; common to fair Yorkers, $3.40@3.45; heavy hogs $3.20@3.25; roughs, $2.00@3.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply fair on Monday; 25 cars on sale; market unchanged. Today's receipts, 4 cars; market steady on good sheep; slow on common and medium grades, while lambs and calves are firm; prices shade higher. We quote prices as follows: Prime, $3.80@3.90; good, $3.60@3.75; fair, $3.25@3.5.; common, $2.50@3.00; culls, $1.00@2.00; choice yearlings, $3.75@4.00; common to good yearlings, $2.50@3.50; choice lambs, $4.50@5.00; common to good lambs, $3.50@4.25; veal calves, $5.25@5.00; heavy to thin calves, $2.0.@3.00.

CINCINNATI, June 23.

HOGS—Market active at $2.85@3.5.0 Receipts, 1,900 head; shipments, 910 head.

CATTLE—Market steady at $2.35@4.00. Receipts, 400 head; shipments, 500 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep steady at $1.75@3.50. Receipts, 5.300 head; shipments, 1,100 head. Lambs—Market steady at $3.25@6.00.

NEW YORK, June 23

WHEAT—Spot market steadier and more active; No. 1 hard, 67½@68c.

CORN—Spot market dull; No. 2, 34c.

OATS—Spot market weak; No. 2, 21½c.

CATTLE—No trading. European cables quote American steers at 8¾@9½c per pound dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 6¼@7½c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep steady; lambs ¼c lower. Sheep, $2.50@4.25; lambs, $3.25@6.00.

HOGS—Market steady at $3.40@5.90.

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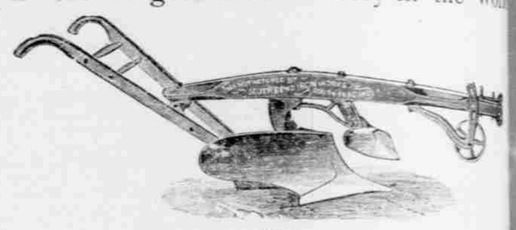

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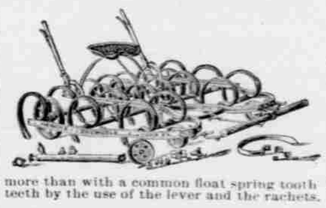

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A Movement In His Interest Among Ohio Democrats.

THEIR STATE CONVENTION TODAY.

The Silver Men Have Almost 600 of the 675 Delegates—Taylor Presides—McLean, Bookwalter, Thurman and Holden Will Be Sent to Chicago.

COLUMBUS, June 24.—The Democratic state convention is in session here today.

Colonel W. A. Taylor presides as temporary chairman.

The preliminary meetings show that the silver men have almost 600 of the 675 delegates in the convention.

At the district meetings the silver men carried 17 the congressional districts and the gold men four. The committee on resolutions and other committees, including the state central committee, stand 17 to 4. The Ohio delegation to Chicago, when the delegates are all chosen, will probably stand 38 to 8 for free silver, although the silver men claim 40 to 8. With their large majority in this convention the silver men intend to instruct the Ohio delegation for free silver and to vote as a unit so that the four gold districts, which include the city of Dayton, Hamilton, Toledo and Cleveland, will be shut out.

While the instructions on free silver will be ironclad, there will be no instructions for president. Most of the county conventions had endorsed ex-Governor Campbell for president before the tidal wave for silver set in and now the silver leaders claim that Campbell is too conservative on the financial question. Meantime John W. Bookwalter, an original free silver man, who was the Democratic candidate for governor against Charles Foster in 1881, has worked up quite a sentiment in favor of his endorsement for president. Campbell and his friends openly oppose Bookwalter. The fight between them was stopped by the friends of John R. McLean, who said they would oppose either instructions or the endorsement of anyone for president.

It is understood that this movement is in the interest of McLean for the national ticket. While Campbell, McLean and Bookwalter have their respective followings as the Ohio favorite. Colonel Joseph Rickey of Missouri has been active in the interest of Bland for president. General A. J. Warner, president of the American Bimetallic league, is also here taking an active part in the interest of the fusion of all silver interests. The silver slate includes John R. McLean, John W. Bookwalter, Allen W. Thurman and L. L. Holden for delegates-at-large. Very little interest is being taken in the state ticket. The leading candidates for secretary of state, the head of the ticket, are A. A. Brown of Cincinnati and ex-Congressman S. S. Yoder of Lima.

When the delegates met by congressional districts the silver men did not have their way in the Third, Ninth, Twentieth and Twenty-first districts and the gold men are also contesting the Eighteenth district, which is the district formerly represented in congress by McKinley. The silver men claim to control the committees from 17 to 4.

The committee on resolutions is as follows: First district, Wallace Birch; Second, D. S. Oliver; Third, J. C. Patterson; Fourth, George W. Moore; Fifth, J. W. Winn; Sixth, C. H. Collins; Seventh, T. H. Dever; Eighth, Fred H. Bleshner; Ninth, Frank H. Hurd; Tenth, John Herman; Eleventh, J. Vanmeter; Twelfth, Casper Loewenstein; Thirteenth, A. L. Barron; Fourteent, H. L. Stewart; Fifteenth, David Okey; Sixteenth, E. L. Lynch; Seventeenth, Aquilla Wiley; Eighteenth, Archibald McGregor; Nineteenth, S. G. Rogers; Twentieth, T. D. Bremer; Twenty-first, Charles J. Estep.

When the state central committee met about half the membere were absent, but they were represented by silver men to whom the gold members had given proxies. Still there was a fight. The silver men supported W. A. Taylor of Columbus, and the gold men C. A. Norton of Tiffin for temporary chairman. Taylor was elected, receiving 14 votes to 7 for Norton.

The committee on credentials seated the silver contestants from Stark county, insuring them the Eighteenth district, so that the districts stand 17 to 4. General A. J. Warner of Marietta was selected by the committee for permanent chairman. He has not been cooperating with the party owing to Cleveland's policy against silver, and his selection was made to intensify the silver sentiment.

GEORGIA FOR SILVER.

Her Democratic Delegation Will Be For the White Metal.

ATLANTA, June 24.—The Georgia Democratic convention which meets at Macon tomorrow will, it is said, send a solid silver delegation to Chicago and adopt no instructions as to the candidates. Of the 350 delegates that have been chosen, not 50 are opposed to the free and unlimited and independent coinage of silver. In only one district do the gold men stand a chance of electing their delegates to Chicago, but the convention will certainly adopt a unit rule which will make it a solid vote for silver.

There has been no talk among Democrats as to a candidate for the presidency. The leaders in the silver movement have made it a point to keep down all possibilities of a division by eliminating talk of candidates. There will be no effort to instruct for any candidate. The general feeling is that the man should come from some one of the Middle states and Boies and Matthews are most often suggested.

SILVER SHOWED STRENGTH.

But Gold Carried the Day Among the Wisconsin Democrats.

MILWAUKEE, June 24.—Free silver developed unexpected strength in the Democratic state convention. Until within three weeks the gold standard adherents were supposed to overwhelmingly be in the majority in the Wisconsin Democracy, but when the test vote came on the adoption of the minority and majority reports from the committee on resolutions, the silver men were found to number 128 of the 345 delegates in the convention.

The delegates-at-large to the national convention are all gold standard advocates are headed by Senator William F. Vilas and General Edward S. Bragg. The district delegates chosen by the district delegation, included, several silver men, but will be governed by the unit rule. They have no preference for presidential nominee.

Made Rich by a Vanderbilt.

GREENFIELD, O., June 24.—Abraham Pierson is dead. He was born about 80 years ago in Newark, N. J. When a young man he was a protege of Commodore Vanderbilt's, and by him was enabled to make a fortune before he was 30 years old. He went down in the panic of Black Friday in 1873, and never rallied. He came here about ten years ago, and has since made his home with his nephew, George T. Day, Jr. He was an uncle of Mrs. Howard Douglass of Cincinnati.

Belasco Awarded $16,000.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The jury gave David Belasco $16,000 in his suit against Fairbanks of Chicago for training Mrs. Leslie Carter for the stage.

Mrs. Fleming Not Guilty.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Mrs. Fleming, charged with poisoning her mother, has been found not guilty.

GOV. ALTGELD RENOMINATED.

Illinois Democrats Ignored His Protest. Instructed For Free Silver.

PEORIA, Ills., June 24.—John P. Altgeld is the nominee of the Democratic party for governor of Illinois. He was unanimously placed at the head of the ticket. He had no opponent and a few moments before the honor was thrust upon him, he declared that he did not want it. He said so at the conclusion of one of the most impressive speeches ever made before a Democratic convention. He said that he was physically unable to lead the fight, and his financial affairs were in bad shape and needed his attention. No sooner had he mentioned his desire to retire from public life than there came an impassioned shout of disapproval, not only from the delegates, but from thousands of people who were crowded in the hall.

It was a strange convention and will not soon be forgotten. It was in session only a little over five hours. Nearly all the candidates were nominated by acclamation.

There was no strife. There was no acrimonious speeches save those directed against the enemy.

The convention, as had been predicted, came out strongly for free silver and so instructed its delegates to the national convention. The platform was diametrically opposite in all its parts to that of the Republican party and the 1,065 delegates voted unanimously for its adoption.

The delegates-at-large are John P. Altgeld, S. P. McConnell, W. H. Hinrichsen, George W. Fithian.

Had Six Pairs of Twins.

HOUGHTON, Mich., June 24.—The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Beudoin, French Canadians, residents of Allouez, Keweenaw county, has been baptized at Calumet. It is the twenty-eighth child born to the couple, of whom 11 are living. Mrs. Beudoin was married 28 years ago and has borne twins eight times.

To Extend Their Bonds.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The Pittsburg and Connellsville Railroad company has entered into an arrangement for the extension of their $4,000,000 first mortgage bonds, due July 1, 1898, so that the principal shall become payable in 50 years from July 1, 1896, with interest meanwhile, payable semi-annually at the rate of 4 per cent, both principal and interest payable in United States gold coin.

Mrs. Craven's Sensational Moves.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 24.—Mrs. Nettie Craven has made two sensational moves in the Fair will contest. She has filed ejectment proceedings against the heirs of James G. Fair to oust them from possession of the property at Pine and Sansome streets and the block on Mission and Eleventh streets and at the same time to recover in all $220,000 for back rents and damages.

To Catch Apache Kid.

TUCSON, A. T., June 24.—Advices from San Bernardino ranch says that Lieutenants Averill and Rice, with two companies of cavalry and 60 scouts, including White mountain, Yuma and Papago Indians, have been joined by Mexican troops, and are now going south through Senora to catch Apache Kid.

Lee Denies He Has Sent Reports.

HAVANA, June 24.—The United States consul general, General Fitzhugh Lee, denies, not diplomatically, but absolutely, the statement published that he has sent important reports to President Cleveland by a special messenger. He admits that he has not sent any reports to Mr. Cleveland in any way.

Superintendents Get the Mails.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—The postoffice department has issued notifications to postmasters at all offices where Indian schools are located to deliver the mail addressed to minor pupils of those institutions to the superintendents of the schools who will have full control over it.

State of the Gold Reserve.

WASHINGTON, June 25.—The treasury has lost $60,700 in gold coin and $15,900 in bars, which leave the true amount of the gold reserve $102,175,340.

Congressman Dayton Renominated.

PARKERSBURG, W. Va., June 24.—The Second West Virginia Republican congressional district at Morgantown renominated Congressman Dayton. Dayton beat Postmaster General Wilson in 1894.

STATE HAPPENINGS.

H. H. Rittenhouse, a veteran of the war, killed himself at Reading because his pension was not increased.

A dinkey engine used on railroad improvements, near Altoona, exploded, but nobody was hurt.

Charles M. Alcott, aged 75, father of Alderman Alcott of Altoona, committed suicide there by hanging.

A valuable horse belonging to John Daniels of Fairchance was gored to death by a bull in a pasture field.

George Yancowith shot Andrew Hadock and Policeman Lowton at Mount Carmel. Both will recover.

James Mills, under a 14-years sentence for attacking a little girl, mysteriously escaped from West Chester prison.

John Matta, a Hungarian, was struck by a freight train near Tyrone and fatally injured. He was 24 years old and unmarried.

Rev. R. Etzenhouser, the Mormon missionary, has stopped his sensational meetings at Neshannock, giving the warm weather as an excuse.

By a fall from the hayloft of the barn adjoining the East Lebanon hotel, Amos Boltz, aged 60 years, sustained fractures of several ribs and severe bruises.

The residence of Charles Matthews and store of Charles Martin, at New Castle, were entered by burglars and good hauls made at both places.

The department of internal affairs has issued a patent to Daniel Kennelley of Clinton county, of 82 acres, 141 perches of valuable land hitherto unowned.

Citizens of Greensburg have appointed a committee of six to proceed against members of the outgoing schoolboard for failure to furnish an itemized report.

Miss Fannie Raybold, a graduate of Spring Garden school, Philadelphia, died at her home at Altoona just an hour before her diploma reached her parents by mail.

A barn owned by John Fortney, near Mackeyville, was destroyed by fire. With the building a horse, spring wagon, harness, feed and other contents were burned.

Mrs. Charles Green, an elderly woman, long time a resident of Springboro, Crawford county, drowned herself in a cistern. The act is believed to have been caused by continued ill-health.

A brakeman named James Hariland was instantly killed by being run over by a freight train at Coburn on the Bellefonte and Montandon road. He was jolted and fell through the cars.

After an idleness of four weeks, the fires at the Valentine Iron company blast furnace were lighted and active work has resumed, at Bellefonte. The shutdown was necessitated by the annual repairs.

Tim Bowers an old man who lived alone in a shanty near Clifton, was struck by a passenger train on the Pittsburg and Lake Erie railroad while gathering coal along the track and instantly killed.

George Ormes, a colored student at Geneva, was arrested and taken to Beaver on a delicate charge made by Mary Hausburg. Ormes is the student who won the oratorical contest prize at Geneva college commencement a few weeks ago.

TO NOTIFY M'KINLEY.

The Committee Will Visit Canton Next Tuesday.

HOBART TO BE NOTIFIED JULY 7.

Governor McKinley Receives a Letter of Congratulation From Senator Quay—A Big Meeting to Be Held In Canton Saturday Night.

CANTON, O., June 24.—A call for a meeting of the Republican national convention notification committee in Cleveland next Monday has been issued. On Tuesday the committee will come to Canton, and officially notify Mr. McKinley of his nomination. The speech will be delivered by Senator Thurston, the chairman. Hobart will be officially notified of his nomination for vice president on July 7.

Governor McKinley has received an autograph letter from Senator Quay, who said he did not try to push his congratulations into the first great flow that came, but continued:

"I do congratulate you on the splendid vote of confidence you received in the convention, which represents absolutely the best thought of the Republican party of the nation."

While the question of the location of national headquarters has been under discussion and Cleveland has made a strong effort to secure them, the impression does not exist here that the custom of years past will be changed, and it is believed that the Republican national campaign will be directed by Chairman Hanna from New York as usual.

Great preparations are being made for the big meeting next Saturday night. Cantonians have been so delighted with the convention work of Senator Foraker and Congressman Grosvenor that efforts will be made to secure their presence.

Major McKinley has received from Governor Bushnell that a delegation of Columbus people will visit him Monday afternoon.

PLATT RIGHT IN LINE.

He Made a Speech at a Meeting In New York.

NEW YORK, June 24.—The first big gun of the Republican campaign in this city was fired at Carnegie Music hall last evening. The meeting was held under the auspices of the Republican county committee, and Thomas C. Platt broke a time-honored custom by making a speech. The list of vice presidents included many of the prominent Republicans of this city. Scarcely any of the anti-Platt Republicans, however, were present.

Edward Lauterbach, who presided, introduced Mr. Platt, saying that Mr. Platt was a peerless leader, and had returned from St. Louis convinced that "Mark Hanna is a first-class boss." When Mr. Platt arose to respond he was loudly cheered. The cheers were renewed when he said that his presence there proved the falsity of the old proverb that "dead men tell no tales."

May my words sink into your minds," he added, "as those of a man who has risen from the grave, and that often." Platt said in part:

The Republicans of New York are united in behalf of the candidates that were nominated and the platform that was adopted at St. Louis. I hope they will be no less united in all matters that affect the welfare of their party and the honor of their state. I am always ready to set the example of cheerful acquiescence in the will of the majority.

And as an earnest of this purpose let us give three cheers loud enough to be heard from Montauk Point to Buffalo, for McKinley, Hobart and harmony.

FOR BOIES AND BRYAN.

North Carolina Will Be For Silver Almost Without a Struggle.

RALEIGH, N. C., June 24.—The Democratic state convention will meet here tomorrow. It will declare for the immediate free and unlimited coinage of silver at the ratio of 16 to 1. Only three or four of the 96 counties are for the gold standard.

The delegates will be instructed not to vote for any man for president who has not been a free silver advocate all the time. There will be no split either in the state or district delegations. They all will be unalterably for silver. Boies and Bryan are most talked of and there is a growing sentiment for Senator Teller, though the machine leaders are opposed to his nomination. Dr. J. J. Mott, chairman of the silver party, will be here and he is trying to have the convention endorse Teller.

An attempt will be made to have the convention postpone nominations for state officers until the middle of August in order to grasp the national situation and if Teller should be the nominee of the Democrats and Populists to undertake to get all the free silver men to support one ticket for governor and state officers and electors as against the Republican ticket nominated last month.

UNDERCURRENT FOR SILVER.

Some Sentiment at the New York Democratic Convention.

SARATOGA, N. Y., June 24.—The Democratic state convention is in session today. It will declare that the present gold standard in the country should be preserved until such time as there can be obtained an international agreement for bimetallism.

At the same time the leaders of the party will postpone the selection of presidential electors until fall convention of the party.

The two facts are significant and taken in conjunction seem to point that the party leaders, while protesting that the gold standard should be maintained, are fearful that the national convention will not heed their cry and that their electors, if elected now, might be put in a false position of being pledged to vote only for a presidential candidate who the more nearly represented the financial pronouncements of the party at this convention. The delegates-at-large to be selected are Roswell P. Flower, David B. Hill, Edward Murphy and Frederick R. Coudert. There is a strong undercurrent among the delegates here for silver.

GOOD FOR BIMETALLISM.

Delegates From Six European Nations Adopt Resolutions.

LONDON, June 24.—A Paris dispatch to The Daily News says that an international commission of husbandry, including delegates from France, Germany, Belgium, Austria, Sweden and Switzerland, met at the ministry of husbandry and adopted a bimetallic resolution.

The resolution called upon the French government to propose the subject to the other countries in the international convention. The Daily News correspondent says: "As M. Meline (the French premier) presided at the meeting, Great Britain is likely to hear shortly from the French government on this subject."

Democrats Will Organize College Clubs.

CHICAGO, June 24.—A movement has been started at the University of Chicago toward the organization of Democratic clubs in every college and university in the country. The organization will be modeled after the National League of College Republican Clubs founded at Ann Arbor in 1892.

Arrested For Flirting.

ATLANTIC CITY, June 24.—Chief Eldridge has arrested Eugene Harvey for flirting on the boardwalk. He was arraigned before the recorder and fined $3.90 and given a warning if caught again he would be dealt with to the full penalty of the law.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The International Gathering Now In Session at Boston.

BOSTON, June 24.—The eighth international and thirteenth national Sunday school convention was opened in Tremont Temple with a praise service led by Dwight L. Moody. A business session of the convention was opened by the chairman of the executive committee, B. F. Jacobs of Chicago, at the close of the praise service, and William Randolph of Missouri was introduced as chairman of the convention.

Mr. Randolph gave a brief resume of the workings of the Sunday schools as an evangelizing medium and then Rev. George C. Lorimer, D. D., pastor of the Tremont Temple, extended a hearty welcome to the delegates. Hon. Samuel H. Blake, Q. C., of Toronto, responded.

At the Tremont Temple meeting after the reports of the various committees had been presented President-elect Samuel R. Capen of Boston, addressed the convention. The following persons were heard under the head of "work reported."

William Reynolds of Peoria, Ills., on "The International Field;" Rev. H. M. Hamell of Jacksonville, Fla., on "Work In the South;" Hugh Cork of Marshall, Minn., "Work In the North," and Rev. L. B. Maxwell of Savannah, Ga., "Work Among the Colored People."

THE MYSTIC SHRINERS.

They Elected New Officers and Paraded at Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, June 24.—The twenty-second annual session of the Imperial council of the Nobles of the Mystic Shrine opened here last evening. The great parade last evening was participated in by at least 4,000 members.

There are 186 delegates in the imperial council. Detroit was fixed upon as the place of meeting in 1897. It was decided that hereafter the five lowest officers of the imperial council shall be appointed by the imperial potentate, instead of being elected. These officers are imperial first ceremonial master, imperial second ceremonial master, imperial marshal, imperial captain of the guard and imperial outer guard. The officers elected are as follows:

Imperial potentate, Harrison Dingman, Washington; imperial deputy potentate, Albert D. McGaffy of Denver; imperial chief sabban, Ethelbert F. Allen, Kansas City; imperial assistant sabban, John H. Atwood, Leavenworth, Kan.; imperial high priest and prophet, William H. S. Wright, St. Paul,; imperial oriental guide, Lew B. Windson, Grand Rapids, Mich.; imperial treasurer, William S. Brown, Pittsburg; imperial recorder, Benjamin W. Rowell, Lynn, Mass.

Filibusters' Trial Postponed.

NEW YORK, June 24.—Another postponement of the alleged filibusters, John D. Hart, Emilio Nunez, Captain John O'Brien and Mate Edward Murphy, was granted by Judge Brown, in the United States circuit court. The counsel stated that Nunez was unable to appear for trial at this time because he is held at Jacksonville, Fla., on a charge similar to the one made against him here. Judge Brown set the case for trial on next Monday.

A Preacher Deposed.

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 24.—After an all night session, Rev. C. E. Lee, pastor of the Second Baptish church, was found guilty of improper liberties with female members of his congregation and deposed from the ministry. Rev. Lee is the inventor of the individual communion cup, for which he has a patent.

The Vice President at Cape May.

CAPE MAY, June 24.—Vice President Stevenson, accompanied by Mrs. Stevenson, Miss Letitia Stevenson and Mr. Lewis Stevenson, have arrived at the Stockton hotel. Mr. Stevenson will leave his family at the seashore and attend the Chicago convention, returning for a protracted stay.

A Courtmartial Ordered.

WASHINGTON, June 24.—A courtmartial has been ordered by the secretary of the navy to assemble at the Mare Island navyyard next Thursday for the trial of Past Assistant Paymaster Edwin B. Webster, late of the Yorktown, on charges of fraud and scandalous conduct on the Asiatic station.

International League of Press Clubs.

BUFFALO, June 24.—The International League of Press clubs is in session at the Iroquois hotel in this city. There are over 100 delegates in attendance.

THE MARKETS.

PITTSBURG, June 23.

WHEAT—No. 1 red, 66@67c; No. 2 red, 64@65c; spring wheat, 63@64c.

CORN—No. 2 yellow ear, 33@33½c; No. 2 shelled, 32½@32¾c; high mixed shelled, 32@32½c; mixed ear, 30@31c.

OATS—No. 1 white, 24¾@25c; No. 2 do, 23¾@24c; extra No. 3 white, 23@23½c; light mixed, 22½@23c.

HAY—No. 1 timothy, $14.50@15.00; No. 2 timothy, $12.50@13.00; mixed clover, $11.50@12.00; packing, $6.50@7.00; No. 1 feeding prairie, $8.00@8.50; wagon hay, $17.00@18.00 for timothy.

BUTTER—Elgin creamery, 17@18c; Ohio, fancy creamery, 15@16c; fancy country, roll, 10@11c; low grade and cooking, 7@8c.

CHEESE—Fancy New York, full cream, 8¼@8½c; New York flats, cream, 8¼c; new Ohios, 7@7½c; new Wisconsin Swiss, in tubs, 11@12c; limburger, 8½@9c; Ohio Swiss, in tubs, 11@12c; Swiss, in square blocks, 13@13½c.

EGGS—Strictly fresh Pennsylvania and Ohio, in cases, 11½@12c; seconds, 9½@10c.

POULTRY—Large live chickens, 55@65c per pair; live chickens, small, 50@55c; spring chickens, 25@50c per pair; dressed chickens, 12@13c per pound; dressed spring chickens, 18@19c; live ducks, 50@60c per pair; dressed, 14@15c; live turkeys, 9@10c per pound; dressed, 14@15c; live geese, 60@75c per pair.

PITTSBURG, June 23.

CATTLE—Receipts fair, on Monday 55 cars on sale; market slow at unchanged prices. Today's receipts light; market unchanged. We quote prices as follows: Extra, $4.30@4.35; good, $4.10@4.20; tidy, $4.00@4.10; good butchers, $3.80@4.00; prime, $4.25@4.30; fair, $3.5.@3.80; common, $3.00@3.50; rough, fat, $3.00@3.85; bulls, stags and cows, $2.00@3.50; heifers, $3.00@4.00; bologna cows, per head, $5.0@15.00; fresh cows and springers, $15.00@35.00.

HOGS—Receipts were light on Monday; market ruled active at opening, but closed weak. Today's receipts are light; market steady and prices shade lower. We quote prices: Prime light weights, $3.55@3.60; best medium grades, $3.50@3.55; common to fair Yorkers, $3.40@3.45; heavy hogs $3.30@3.35; roughs, $2.00@3.00.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Supply fair on Monday; 25 cars on sale; market unchanged. Today's receipts, 4 cars; market steady on good sheep; slow on common and medium grades, while lambs and calves are firm; prices shade higher. We quote prices as follows: Prime, $3.80@3.90; good, $3.60@3.75; fair, $3.25@3.55; common, $2.50@3.00; culls, $1.00@2.00; choice yearlings, $3.75@4.00; common to good yearlings, $2.50@3.50; choice lambs, $4.50@5.00; common to good lambs, $3.50@4.25; veal calves, $5.25@5.50; heavy to thin calves, $2.00@3.00.

CINCINNATI, June 23.

HOGS—Market active at $2.85@3.50 Receipts, 1,900 head; shipments, 910 head.

CATTLE—Market steady at $2.35@4.00. Receipts, 400 head; shipments, 500 head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep steady at $1.75@3.50. Receipts, 5,500 head; shipments, 1,100 head. Lambs—Market steady at $3.25@6.00.

NEW YORK, June 23

WHEAT—Spot market steadier and more active; No. 1 hard, 67½@68c.

CORN—Spot market dull; No. 2, 34c.

OATS—Spot market weak; No. 2, 21½c.

CATTLE—No trading. European cables quote American steers at 8½@9½c per pound dressed weight; refrigerator beef at 6¼@7½c.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Market for sheep steady; lambs 1c lower. Sheep, $2.50@4.25; lambs, $3.25@6.00.

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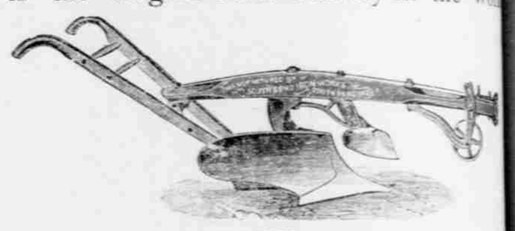

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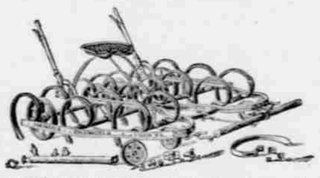

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